

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday:
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, continued fine and warm.
Lower Mainland—Continued fine and warm.

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VICTORIA, B. C., SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 1919

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

Royal-Orpheum Vaudeville.
Princess-The Private Secretary.
Pantages-Vaudeville.
Dominion-The Crimson Gardenia.
Variety-The Unwritten Law.
Columbia-Satan, Junior.
Romano-Blind Man's Eyes.

EIGHTEEN PAGES

ALLIES WILL FIX HUNGARIAN REPARATION

LONDONDERRY RIOTS AND LOOTING QUELLED BY A MILITARY FORCE

Nationalists and Unionists Clashed; City Was in Darkness During Disorders Last Night; Fights at Other Points Are Reported

Londonderry, Aug. 16.—Troops were used in suppressing riots between Nationalists and Unionists in Londonderry last night and early today. They were withdrawn from the scenes of the disorders at 4 o'clock this morning.

A number of rioters were injured during charges by the police and soldiers. A police inspector was knocked down and kicked severely during a baton charge.

Londonderry, Aug. 16.—Rioting and looting occurred in this city during last night and early this morning. Troops charged the mobs but did not fire any shots. The soldiers, however, were met with a volley of stones when they attempted to break up a Nationalist demonstration. The monetary loss from the looting is estimated at thousands of pounds by the police authorities.

The trouble started when Nationalists set fire to a number of barrels which had been collected beneath an arch over Edward de Valera, who calls himself "President of the Irish Republic," and sang the "Soldiers' Song." Unionists responded, singing the National Anthem. One force of troops kept the crowds apart while other detachments attempted to clear the streets, charging upon the throngs repeatedly. Bricks and stones were hurled at the charging soldiers, one soldier being seriously hurt. The Nationalists finally were driven back to their own quarters.

Shops Looted.
Windows were smashed and shops were looted and the city was in darkness the entire night.

Although several revolver shots were heard during the rioting, no reports of anyone having been shot have been received. The troops declare that none of them fired any shots, and that when they drove back the crowds they advanced with their bayonets raised in the air.

Fights Elsewhere.
Belfast, Aug. 16.—Then Nationalist excursionists were injured during a fight Friday with Orangemen at Lisburn, County Down. Serious rioting occurred also at Coal Island, County Tyrone.
The trouble at Lisburn took place after the Nationalists had attended a "Ladies Day" celebration at Louth. In the riot at Coal Island several policemen and military officers were injured severely.

NEW CABINET IN HUNGARY NAMED

Ex-Archduke Joseph Appoints New Government With Friedrich as Premier

Budapest, Aug. 16.—Ex-Archduke Joseph, head of the Hungarian state, has appointed a new government with Stephen Friedrich as Premier. Martin Lovassy, who was Premier of the last cabinet, is Foreign Minister in the new government, and Baron Perenyi is Minister of the Interior.
Monarchists Busy.
Paris, Aug. 16.—Dignitaries of the former Austrian regime have reiterated their requests that former Emperor Charles assume an active part in Austrian affairs, according to a dispatch from Zurich. It is said that the former monarch was sounded on the subject before ex-Archduke Joseph seized control at Budapest. The last discussion is reported to have been quite long. After the conference had lasted for three hours, former Empress Zita, who was present, finally said: "I have had enough talking, gentlemen. Hungarians were Hell for us. We did our duty to the end and we have suffered enough. To return is an impossibility."

C. Hapsburg's Idea.
Berlin, Aug. 16.—A courier arrived in Budapest, according to reports received here, with a letter from former Emperor Charles to ex-Archduke Joseph, in which Charles declares he is still the crowned King of Hungary, and commissions Joseph to take over the sovereign power until his return.
The reports add that the latter thanks the ex-Archduke for the service rendered the dynasty.
Count Michael Karolyi, former Premier of Hungary, is reported to have told a well-known political personage whom he met at Karlsbad (Continued on page 14.)

HIS IDEAS WILL BE WORKED OUT

Premier, Back From East, Speaks of Liberals and Tariff

Mr. Oliver Feels Sure Dominion Will Take Over P. G. E.

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—"I am not worrying about that tariff platform. When the Liberal Party gets right down to enacting its legislation it will be my amendment, not the resolution adopted, that it will have to work on."

So said Hon. John Oliver on his return to-day from the national Liberal Convention. The Premier came in alone and remained in Vancouver only long enough to walk from the train to the hotel on his way to Victoria. He is well pleased with the results of the Convention and believes that a foundation has been laid for a betterment of the conditions in Canada.
"When all is said and done there are more consumers than producers in this country, and something has to be done to relieve the high cost of living," he said. "Both parties agree that mere production is the answer, and to accomplish that condition production must be made easier. The policy adopted seems to meet approval throughout—Eastern Canada, and I see no reason why it should not go as well in British Columbia as anywhere else."

P. G. E. Railway.
The Premier also had something to say about the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. As a result of a conference with Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways, it was arranged that representatives of the two governments will jointly go over the whole Pacific Great Eastern line, investigating it from the engineering, financial and general railway standpoints.

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GIOLITTI, ITALY, CRITICIZES ALLIES

Former Premier Says Italy Has Not Achieved Aspirations

Rome, Aug. 16.—No one suspected during the victory celebration last December that nine months later Italy would still be without peace. Giovanni Giolitti, former Premier, declared in a speech to the Provincial Council of Cuneo, his home district, "It would have been more absurd," he continued, "to imagine Italy would have been thwarted in her national aspirations."
The speech is generally regarded as the keynote for the next political campaign as a criticism of the Allies' attitude toward Italy.
"The present market for Italy," he continued, "the beginning of a new historical period which will be replete with social and political transformations. The wealthy classes must pay for the war and Italy must become agriculturally independent of the outside world."

CABLE BROKEN

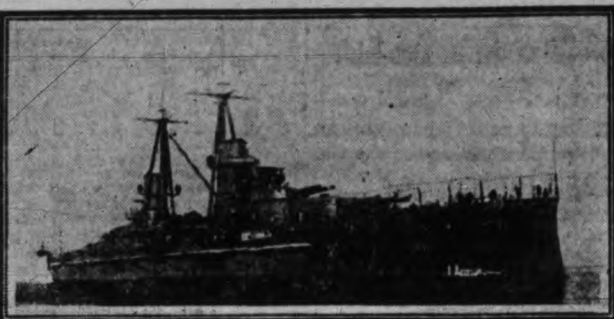
New York, Aug. 16.—The Commercial Cable Company announced to-day that the Manila-Shanghai cable has been broken again and that direct communication with China has been interrupted.

BATTALIONS OF BOLSHEVIK TROOPS WERE WIPED OUT

London, Aug. 16.—Several battalions of Bolshevik troops have been wiped out in the new counter-offensive of the Northwestern Russian army along the River Luga, southwest of Petrograd, according to dispatches from Helsingfors dated Wednesday. The Soviet forces also lost large numbers of prisoners, machine guns and ammunition.

On the west bank of the Luga, in the region east of Narva, the anti-Bolshevik troops occupied Alexandroffskaya Gorka. East of Pakov, south of Narva, other anti-Bolshevik detachments made raids against the Soviet front and captured 500 prisoners.
Near Podosev an entire Soviet regiment is declared to have deserted to the Estonians.

Italian Dreadnought Helps Canada Welcome the Prince



BATTLESHIP CONTE DI CAVOUR.
Halifax, Aug. 16.—The Italian dreadnought Conte di Cavour arrived here this morning to participate in the welcome to the Prince of Wales. She was received with a salute of nineteen guns from the citadel and was then boarded by the Italian Consul-General for Canada.

PRINCE GOES FROM ST. JOHN TO NOVA SCOTIA CAPITAL

St. John, N. B., Aug. 16.—The cruiser Dragon, with the Prince of Wales on board, and the cruiser Dauntless left here this morning at 7 o'clock for Halifax.

Quebec, Aug. 16.—Elaborate preparations are being made here for the reception of the Prince of Wales, who is expected to arrive in this city on Thursday, August 21, at 5 p. m., and leave on Sunday, August 24.

The pavements on the streets along which the Prince will pass are all being repaired, while a thorough cleaning is being given the entire city. Arrangements also have been made for fireworks displays, the first on the evening of the Prince's arrival, and the second on the following evening. A beautiful arch covered with spruce boughs and elaborately decorated with inscriptions will be erected on Du Fort Street, opposite the Place d'Armes and the monument of Samuel de Champlain on one side and the monument of "The Faith," commemorating the establishment of Christianity in the New World, on the other.

CHICAGO BUILDERS WOULD GIVE PAIR OF SHOES TO J. O. ARMOUR

Chicago, Aug. 16.—J. Ogden Armour to-day wrote a note of thanks to the Chicago Builders' and Traders' Exchange, whose members yesterday voted to send him a pair of shoes because he recently said the high prices had led him to have his old ones repaired.

Gen. Sir Arthur Currie to Land at Halifax at 9 o'clock To-night

Montreal, Aug. 16.—A wireless message received by the Robert R. Ford Company from the commander of the steamship Caronia, of the Cunard Line, states that he expects to bring his ship into Halifax to-night about 9 o'clock.
The Caronia is bringing Lieut.-Gen. Sir Arthur Currie and his staff back to Canada.

Wealthy Italians Will Be Required to Aid the State

Rome, Aug. 16.—The Italian Cabinet, The Popolo Romano says, has decided not to levy a tax on inheritances at this time. Instead the Government will force wealthy persons to grant loans to the Government at a very low rate of interest.

Guns Canadians Used Presented to Village of Mons

Mons, Belgium, Aug. 16.—Canadian cannon which fired the last shots at the Germans on Armistice Day, November 11, were presented to the village of Mons yesterday with elaborate ceremonies. Colonel Bovy, of the Canadian forces, said in presenting the guns that they would be a souvenir of the kindness shown by the natives of the town to the soldiers.
The Mayor of Mons spoke of the self-sacrifice of the Canadians, who "without profit came to fight for the liberty of Belgium."

MANY STRIKES NOW IN NEW YORK CITY

New York, Aug. 16.—More industries are affected by strikes now going on or threatened in this city than ever before in the history of the labor unions here, according to figures compiled by labor leaders and made public to-day.
Besides the actors and railroad shopmen, those now on strike in New York include painters, plasterers, machinists, carpenters, shomakers, cigarmakers, brassworkers, shirtmakers, furriers, brass bed makers, umbrella makers and art lamp workers.

WILL ENTERTAIN EDITORS ROYALLY

Final Programme Arranged For Visit of National Association

"Telephone G. I. Warren, No. 2777, or W. A. McAdam, No. 3499, if you are willing to volunteer the use of an automobile in connection with the entertainment of the National Editorial Association which will meet in Victoria Monday and Tuesday. About seventy cars are needed. Particulars will be furnished by either Mr. McAdam or myself." The above appeal is issued by G. I. Warren, in charge of the transportation arrangements. Cars should be at the Empress Hotel at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, and at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at the same place.

Over two hundred members of the National Editorial Association will reach Victoria to-morrow night on board the Grand Trunk Pacific steamer Prince George, which has been specially chartered for the occasion.

The party will remain in the city until Tuesday afternoon, when members will leave for the mainland. The association will meet in convention here for a business session and the election of officers.

During their stay in Victoria an elaborate programme of entertainment has been prepared, which is as follows:
Sunday, 6 p. m.—Party leaves Seattle on G. T. P. steamer Prince George. The G. T. P. has arranged a special menu card in a form for mailing as a souvenir of the trip. After dinner on board, stereopticon views will be shown.
Monday, 9 a. m.—Reception in the Legislative Hall. Address of Welcome by Premier Oliver, Mayor Porter and C. W. Swayne on behalf of the press of British Columbia.
9:30 a. m.—Business session at Empress Hotel ballroom and election of officers. Adjourn at 12 o'clock noon. (Continued on page 15.)

WANT COMMUNIST PARTY IN STATES

"Left Wing" Socialists Propose Convention in Chicago in September

New York, Aug. 16.—"Left Wing" Socialists have issued a call to attend a convention in Chicago on September 1 to organize the "Communist Party of America." It was learned here to-day when a copy of the call was made public by the joint executive committee which is investigating sedition and anarchistic activities in this state. The left wingers declare their intention of severing all connection with Socialism on the ground that the word has come to signify "merely welfare and uplift." The proposed party platform which will be submitted to the convention demands "a dictatorship of the proletariat, both industrial and agricultural, and nationalization of great business enterprises and financial trusts."

With Bolsheviki.

International alliance with the Bolsheviki of Russia and the Spartacists of Germany also is advocated and the creation of workmen's councils "to act in suppression of fraudulent bourgeoisie, democracy and financial oligarchy and capitalist bureaucracy."

The call is signed by L. E. Ferguson, secretary of the "National Left Wing Council," and Dennis E. Bhatt, secretary of the "National Organization Committee."

BUKOWINA AUSTRIANS NOT ALLOWED TO LEAVE CANADA

Montreal, Aug. 16.—What is believed to have been a plot to enable Bukowina-Austrians to leave Canada, where they are still considered enemy aliens until the peace treaty is ratified by the Dominion Parliament, was frustrated yesterday by local police.

Just before the Roumanian ship Jiul was to sail from Montreal, the police arrived and made the captain parade his crew before them. Three of the men were found to be persons who were about to get a passage to Roumania and who were armed with Roumanian passports. The three were arrested and reported to be still held by the authorities.

ROUMANIA MUST NOT STRIP HUNGARY, SAYS THE ALLIED COUNCIL

Fixing of Reparation Hungary Must Pay Is Matter For All Allied Powers to Decide, Bucharest Government Is Informed

Paris, Aug. 16.—(Associated Press).—Roumania will not be permitted to strip Hungary, according to the draft of the Supreme Council's reply to the last note from Bucharest, which was completed at a meeting of the Council yesterday. The Bucharest Government is informed that the fixing of the amount of reparation to be made by Hungary, as well as its distribution, is a matter under control of the Allied and Associated Powers, and that until final decision is reached all war, railway and agricultural materials now in Hungary and subject to distribution will be under the common administration of the Allied Powers.

The text of the reply follows:

"The Peace Conference, without reverting to a certain number

of points which call for correction on its part, notes with satisfaction the Roumanian declaration that it intends to work in agreement with the policy which the Conference adopts in Hungary. It interprets this declaration as an indication that Roumania as a state participating in the Peace Conference intends to conform to the decisions of the Conference communicated through the Military Mission delegated to Budapest by the Supreme Council.

"Directions sent three times by the Conference to the Mission of Allied generals and communicated to Bucharest have declined explicitly and in detail the present policy of the Allied Powers toward Hungary—the disarmament of the Hungarian troops, the maintenance of order with the smallest possible number of foreign troops, the revictualing of Hungary and the abstention from all interference in the internal policies of Hungary, preserving for that country a free expression of the national will.

"The Supreme Council insists on the fact that final recovery of war, railway or agricultural material or cattle, etc., can not occur at present. According to the principles of the Peace Conference, accepted by all the Allies and applied in particular in the treaty of peace with Germany, it is the right of the assembly of the Allied and Associated Powers alone to fix the reparation to be made by Hungary and determine upon its distribution among interested states. Neither the Roumanian army nor the Roumanian Government has the right itself to fix Roumanian's share, the assets of all kinds belonging to Hungary being a pledge held by the Allied Powers in common."

Delay.
Delivery of the Roumanian note, in which the Bucharest Government claimed that the Roumanians in confiscating property in Hungary were "merely getting back their own property," and insisted that the armistice of November, 1918, "no longer exists," was delayed, according to a statement by the Roumanian delegation, because of its length and difficulty experienced in deciding it. The Roumanian delegates declared they wished to be understood that no amendments to the note were added following its arrival here.

PLANES TO FLY TO TOKIO FROM ROME

d'Annunzio Preparing Five Two-Seated Planes to Make Journey

Rome, Aug. 16.—Gabriele d'Annunzio, the Italian poet-aviator, speaking to-day of his proposed aeroplane flight to Tokio, said fifteen days probably would be spent on the trip and twenty-two stops would be made. Five two-seated planes will participate in the flight, he said.
The Minister of Transportation is supporting the project. Many pilots have asked to take part in the flight.

AUSTRIAN TREATY WILL BE SIGNED BY END OF AUGUST

Paris, Aug. 16.—(Havas).—The end of August probably will see the signing of the Austrian peace treaty, The Journal declares.

SEVEN KILLED IN SMASH IN FRANCE

Paris, Aug. 16.—(Havas).—Seven persons were killed and fifty-four injured in a collision Friday between an express train and a troop train. The express train was running from Paris to Nancy and Strasbourg.

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INVITE MR. KING TO VISIT COAST

Vancouver Liberals Want
Laurier's Successor to Address Liberal Rally

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—The Vancouver and District Liberal Association will send an invitation to Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King to visit British Columbia, asking him to mention a date convenient to him so that a big Liberal rally may be arranged. This was decided at a meeting of the executive of the Association last evening.

Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, the Attorney-General, addressed the executive. He spoke of his recent trip to the United Kingdom and the results achieved by his presentation of British Columbia cases before the Privy Council.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered for the settlement of the Spanish Banks case, the securing of the Settlers' Rights and Compensation in the Sopha disaster case. A copy of the resolutions will be sent to the Attorney-General, who left the meeting before the vote was passed.

A delegation from the executive waited upon J. A. Robb, Chief Liberal Whip in the House of Commons, at the Hotel Vancouver, where a half-hour conference on political af-

WILSON'S FLY PADS

Kill them all and the germs too. 10c a packet at Druggists, Grocers and General Stores.

Air was held. He will address the executive on his return from his northern trip, which probably will be Thursday.

EGGS AND BUTTER

SEIZED AT DETROIT

10,400,000 Eggs; 300,000 Pounds of Butter; Measures Proceed in States

Washington, Aug. 16.—Seizure of large stocks of foodstuffs in storage continued yesterday, with reports received of libels filed in Cleveland and Detroit and preparations for similar action in many other cities. The Attorney-General's Department was informed last night that the district attorney at Detroit had filed libels in three cases and seized approximately 10,400,000 eggs and 300,000 pounds of butter, all of which had been held in storage for some time.

Statistics announced by the Bureau of Markets, showing a great increase in the amount of food held in storage throughout the United States, were said by Judge Ames, assistant to the Attorney-General in charge of enforcing the food control measures, to bear out the Department's contention that a prime reason for enhanced prices was the holding of supplies from the market.

"We are going to force these hoarders and profiteers to disgorge," Judge Ames declared, "wherever they are found, to hold greater amounts than are necessary for the conduct of their business and the safeguarding of the food situation during the winter."

Acting on a telegram late yesterday from Governor Cox, of Ohio, saying that a Cleveland concern, in order to escape prosecution for hoarding, was moving its meat products to Chicago and destroying its records, the Department of Justice ordered the district attorney at Cleveland to look into the matter immediately. All attempts to effect transfer of goods in storage, officials said, would be summarily dealt with.

At New York. New York, Aug. 16.—Inspection of all cold storage and other warehouses by firemen for the purpose of discovering hoarded food supplies is in progress here under orders from Mayor Hylan.

In California. San Diego, Cal., Aug. 16.—Following a conference held here last night by United States District Attorney Robert O'Connor, his assistant, T. F. Green, and others of his force, Mr. O'Connor announced that libel actions had been filed against several concerns storing butter, eggs and cheese in this country. He said the total amount represented about \$300,000.

At Chicago. Chicago, Aug. 16.—Criminal prosecution of sugar operators, some of whom, it is alleged, have been taking three profits through wash sales, is likely to follow the work of Federal investigators here in disclosing the operations of R. A. Milroy, assistant district attorney. The work of Federal investigators has branched out to suburban towns, where it is claimed Chicagoans are holding some of their stocks in order to escape investigation. Nine carloads of Government foodstuffs now are en route to Chicago for distribution in the nine states of the seventh zone. The population of the zone is about 45,000,000.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING IN CANADA EXTENSIVE

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—In respect to the industrial re-training of disabled men, Canada is far ahead of the United Kingdom, according to T. A. Stevenson, who is attached to the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment in an advisory capacity, representing the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, and who has just returned to the Dominion after an extensive tour of the British Isles, made for the purpose of reviewing the work of rehabilitation as carried on by the Imperial Government.

"There are approximately 15,000 disabled ex-soldiers in training in Great Britain, whereas Canada has now approximately 11,000 men taking courses under direction of the vocational branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment. The graduates in the two countries show between 2,000 and 3,000 for Great Britain, while in Canada the number is 5,000."

Mr. Stevenson added: "While the vocational branch of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment instructs in 300 different occupations, the number in Great Britain in which instruction is given totals but fifty. By way of comparison, there are more men receiving direct instruction in Toronto than there are in London, 2,600 being so trained in the Canadian city."

CASUALTIES AMONG CANADIAN SOLDIERS

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—The following casualties have been announced:

Infantry.
Presumed dead—Pte. T. M. Stewart, Nanaimo; Pte. G. P. Becker, East Vancouver; Pte. V. L. Belfontaine, Victoria.

Cyclists.
Presumed dead—Pte. C. A. R. Sinclair, Victoria.

Services.
Ill—Pte. A. Potter, Vancouver.

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The Suits are particularly graceful, and embroidery as trimming is freely used. The suit coats are long, and have the straight line effects. The skirts are gracefully cut, not too narrow, but yielding the slender effect now so popular. Many beautifully soft shades are presented in our showing.

Our stock of Underskirts is very complete. Pleasing varieties in material and shades make a selection easy. The jersey top-skirt, with silk frills, the all-silk and all-jersey skirts are on view in all wanted shades.

Important Accessories

Gloves represent one of the most important accessories which must accompany the fall costume. Our department is very complete and offers the best known makes, such as Dent's, Perrin's, Trefousse, in all sizes and in many wanted shades. Prices range from a pair, \$1.75 to\$3.50

Marabou Capes and Collars

Add just the needed softening finish to the new costume. They are ideal for wear on cool evenings when a heavier and less dressy wrap is not suitable. Included are many beautiful imported pieces, featuring the new cape and scarf effects. See our display in the Neckwear Section. Prices range from \$7.50 to\$22.50

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WOULD you? Would you spend fifteen hours turning every fifty-pound sack of flour into loaves, while wifie took things easy? "Not on your life!"—you wouldn't. You'd mighty quick "hoof it" to the grocery and "wrap yourself around" a loaf of baker's bread. Yet, why shouldn't that little housekeeper of yours have just as good a time as you do?

Take a tip. Wifie is just waiting for you to say the word. She'd order baker's bread now if she knew you wouldn't "kick." Help her enjoy the summertime—help her keep her rosy cheeks. Phone the grocer NOW to send up a loaf of—

SHELLY'S 4X BREAD



ITALIAN CRUISER SINKS IN THE SUEZ CANAL; BLOCKS IT

London, Aug. 16.—The Suez Canal has been blocked by the sinking of the Italian cruiser Basilicati after an explosion, according to advices from Port Said. The cruiser sank near Tewfik.

GEN. TURNER RETURNING

Ottawa, Aug. 16.—A cable received here yesterday announced the departure for Canada of Lieutenant-General Turner, commander of the Canadian forces in the United Kingdom. General Turner sailed on the Melita yesterday from Liverpool and will arrive at Quebec toward the end of next week.

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We are showing in our south window some very special bargains in Easy Chairs. If you need one now is the time to secure a bargain at much less than usual prices.

Easy Chair, upholstered in green tapestry, with spring seat. Regular prices, \$30.00. Sale price\$24.00	Easy Chair, with spring seat, upholstered in good quality tapestry. Regular price, \$26.00. Sale price\$21.00
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RAIN ON PRAIRIE

Regina, Sask., Aug. 15.—Rain was general throughout western and southern Saskatchewan yesterday, and, while too late to benefit the crops, which are mostly cut by now, will revive drooping pastures and

greatly benefit summerfall and stubble land for next year's crop.

DAYLIGHT SAVING IN U. S.

Washington, Aug. 16.—President Wilson vetoed the bill repealing the daylight saving law.

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THE PRINCE'S TOUR.

The tour of the Prince of Wales, who is now visiting the Atlantic maritime provinces, recalls the two other occasions on which the heir apparent to the British Throne has journeyed to this continent. It is now fifty-nine years since Albert Edward, then Prince of Wales, visited Canada and the United States, during which he laid the cornerstone of the Parliament Buildings at Ottawa, which were destroyed by fire early in 1916, and participated in numerous other ceremonies, his amiable qualities creating the most favorable impression wherever he went. His tour, however, did not extend to western Canada. In 1901 the present sovereign, then Duke of York, with his consort visited the Dominion from coast to coast in the course of a tour of the Empire. In 1908 he came again, this time as the Prince of Wales, to attend the Tercentenary demonstration at Quebec, crossing the Atlantic on the battle-cruiser Indomitable, and returning after the festivities in the ancient capital were over.

The Empire journey of the present Prince follows a tour of the United Kingdom in which he came into close touch with the people over whom some day he will reign. These visits are largely of an educational nature, for while the power of the British sovereign is subject to strict constitutional limitations, he can exercise no little indirect influence in promoting the welfare of his subjects, provided he is familiar with their condition and problems. After Albert Edward had become emancipated from the rather rigid restrictions in which he was held by Queen Victoria he closely familiarized himself with the inner life of the British people and learned to know them as intimately as anybody else in the country. He learned many things which at first surprised him, among them the fact that a strong republican sentiment was developing in the nation, one of the leading protagonists of which was the then mayor of Birmingham, Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, who subsequently became the leading Imperialist of his time. That sentiment began to wane in inverse proportion to the growth of the popularity of the heir apparent among the people, and finally disappeared almost entirely.

It is desirable in these times, however, that visits to the various parts of the Empire should be conducted by others as well as by the future sovereign. It would be well for prominent members of the British Government to take occasional holidays overseas and obtain a first-hand acquaintance of the numerous peoples with whose Imperial problems they have to deal. Besides, they owe many return visits by this time, for Prime Ministers and Cabinet Ministers of the Dominions for years have been making trips to London, not infrequently unintentionally misrepresenting there the actual state of affairs at home, usually because they have allowed themselves to get out of touch with the sentiment and problems of their own constituents. We have read more than one banquet speech by a Canadian Minister in London which did not accurately reflect the point of view of the Canadian people. Mr. Lloyd George and other distinguished British statesmen in office might find an Empire tour as instructive and enlightening in its way as the Prince of Wales unquestionably will find the journey upon which he now is fairly started.

COMING OUT.

The publication by the German Government of correspondence which passed between various high personages of the German Empire before Germany's collapse is causing considerable heartburnings in many quarters. One of these communications, dispatched by von Hindenburg to Berlin, stated that Great General Headquarters had "lost its nerve." This brought a rejoinder from von Ludendorff, who denied that as far as he was concerned there was any loss of nerve, but the fact remains that it was upon his insistent solicitation that an armistice was sought. Notwithstanding the explanations of the former military leaders, however, it is abundantly clear that they feared the imminent collapse of Germany's military power and its probable consequences to their own fortunes. While publicly declaring that the position at the front was excellent, they privately were urging Berlin at all costs to ask for an armistice.

Now comes the publication of a letter from von Hindenburg to ex-Prince Maximilian which declared that von Bethmann-Hollweg had opposed the adoption of unrestricted warfare, while he (von Hindenburg) insisted upon it in the "full sense of responsibility for the victorious outcome of the war." There is nothing new in this. The

outside world was quite aware that the submarine warfare was an issue between the then Chancellor and the military leaders and that, finally, the latter prevailed over the Kaiser with Hollweg's resignation as the immediate result. Hollweg, of course, had the clearer vision. In such a situation the statesman invariably sees more than the soldier whose eyes are directed along purely military channels, while von Hindenburg's mind was of mediocre quality at best. We may take it for granted that the old barbarian custom of glorifying von Hindenburg by driving nails into the grotesque wooden statues which for two years disfigured the Unter den Linden is no longer a favorite recreation for the German public.

"ALAS, MY POOR BROTHER!"

A Chicago dispatch says J. Ogden Armour has written a note of thanks to the Builders and Traders' Exchange, whose members yesterday voted to send him a pair of shoes because he recently said high prices had led him to have his old ones repaired.

While the dispatch shows that humor still flourishes in these troublous times, we feel that we ought to express our great grief over Mr. Armour's heart-breaking case. We know just how he must have felt when he found that he could not afford to buy a new pair of shoes on account of the rise in the price of leather. We can see him withdrawing tearfully from the dealer's store after being told the price, wondering the while whatever was going to become of him if the price of things continued to climb.

At the same time Mr. Armour has a way out of his difficulty which is denied to all but a few of the 110,000,000 people of the United States. He and his colleagues in the "Big Five" control most of the leather supply of this continent and they can refuse to let a hide leave their plants until the price of shoes falls sufficiently to enable them to buy without risking bankruptcy. May we expect to hear shortly that Mr. Armour or one of the other leaders of the packers' trust is subsisting on last year's prunes because he cannot afford to pay the high market price for meat?

SHOULD HAVE BEEN REPRESENTED.

It is unfortunate, to say the least, that Victoria was not represented at the annual convention of the Union of Canadian Municipalities in Kingston this week. Delegates from other municipalities of the Province were present, those from Vancouver, Point Grey and Vernon being among the newly-elected officers of the Union. Emphatically, the capital city of British Columbia should have had a delegate there, especially in view of the fact that the annual convention of the Union was held here last year in response to an invitation sent to it from Victoria the previous year. In these circumstances the failure of the City Council to send a representative to the Convention this year was discourteous, to put it mildly, and certainly unworthy of so prominent a municipality. The reason for the Council's decision that Victoria should not be represented was that the expense of sending a delegate would be too great. At the time Alderman Patrick who, with Mayor Porter and Alderman Johns, strongly recommended the Council to have a representative at the convention, guaranteed that the expenses would not exceed \$300.

That so small a sum should stand between this city and what, in the special circumstances we have mentioned, amounted to almost an obligation to participate in the Convention, does not furnish a very flattering advertisement for the place. Not only does it make the city look cheap, but injures its standing in other ways. It is one of the most striking illustrations of "a penny wise pound foolish" policy that we have heard of.

A SUCCESSFUL TRIP.

Attorney-General Farris returns from London with three feathers in his cap, indicative of a thoroughly successful appearance before the judicial committee of the Privy Council in connection with matters affecting the constitutional rights of the Province. This satisfactory outcome of Mr. Farris's trip recalls by way of contrast the disastrous expeditions to the same place of Mr. Bowser when he was the chief law officer of the Province. No doubt Mr. Bowser remembers them also, and considers the result of Mr. Farris's trip abroad to be nothing more than sheer luck. In that case Mr. Bowser is quite mistaken. It simply means that the attitude of the Province in respect of the issues raised was based upon good legal advice in the first place.

CANADA'S DEBT.

(Regina Leader.)

This country owes a great debt to those who affirmed by the sacrifice of their lives that freedom shall prevail throughout the world. It is a condition which many of us take for granted. We did not know oppression. It was in the world, but it had not touched most of us in Canada, and even in the darkest days of the war when the menace of Germany's tyranny was so plain that it could not be overlooked there were but a few who really understood what a German triumph implied to Canada and its people. However, the danger is over now and to-morrow we can rejoice in our freedom and prosperity. For fifty-two years Canada has been preparing to take its place among the nations, and with the records of this Dominion in the war fresh in our memories, we can assert and no one can deny our right to our place next only to the greatest.

TRY THINKING.

(Brookville Recorder.)

Between the hustle of business and the pursuit of pleasure the period of well-regulated thought and meditation is being crowded out. Young people, particularly, want excitement every moment, and the rush from work to amusement and back again, forgetting altogether that between these two essentials there is a third, and if properly developed, brings greater satisfaction than either, and makes both more enjoyable, and the third is healthful, hopeful thought. Suppose we tried the experiment of devoting a few moments each day to calm, uninterrupted thought along well-directed lines, say concerning the condition of those about us, and what we ourselves think should be done to improve them. In this thinking let us try and put ourselves in the places of the other people, so as to get their viewpoint. Life would have more happiness and less trouble if our acts and words were always preceded by sober thought.

MINISTER BACK FROM CARIBOO TOUR

Hon. William Sloan Returns From Inspection of Placer Properties

Greatly pleased with the prospects for development of the mining industry, Hon. Wm. Sloan, Minister of Mines, returned to the city this morning from the Cariboo district. He visited all the various mining sections and was accompanied on the trip by J. M. Yorton, M.P.P. for Cariboo. Seven hundred and fifty miles of the inspection tour was covered by automobile.

The principal object of the visit at this time was to discuss with the miners and prospectors the question of dredging and placer licenses with a view to giving more encouragement to the opening up of the undeveloped Cariboo region, said Mr. Sloan. Mr. Sloan pointed out that large areas were held undeveloped for many years, and it was very desirable that these dormant properties should be opened up and made productive.

The advent of cheaper transportation, particularly by the Pacific Great Eastern Railway, will give operators an opportunity to take in heavy mining machinery of improved type, said Mr. Sloan.

Lessons From Yukon. W. Moore, who installed some of the successful dredges in the Klondike district, has been investigating the Cariboo district, particularly on Antler Creek, the Minister stated. He is so satisfied with the results that he is now negotiating to take in a modern dipper dredge to work on that creek. The dredge will weigh 400 or 500 tons, and the transportation feature will be a heavy item. The Cariboo people are anxiously watching these developments. If such dredges were successful in the Yukon they are satisfied it will mean the forerunner of many other dredges in the Cariboo.

The advent of dredges will go a long way toward reviving mining industry in the neighborhood of Barkerville, says Mr. Sloan. There is much suitable ground there for that type of dredge.

Harper's Camp. At Harper's Camp, where the Government is proposing to do some drilling, D. R. MacKay, making a geological and topographical survey for the Dominion Government covering a survey of sixteen square miles, for the purpose of assisting J. D. Galloway, the Provincial Government's resident mining engineer, in locating the area that should be drilled.

"There are some very rich spots near Harper's Camp, and the opinion of the prospectors is that there is a very large area there that will prove very productive," said Mr. Sloan. At Harper's Camp the International Dredging Company have a Stanley drag line scraper which has been operating with satisfactory results. Another is working at the junction of the North and South Forks of the Horse. Mr. Sprinkling, assisted by Victoria capitalists, is putting in a drag line scraper and are expecting good results. Generally speaking, a feeling of optimism is felt throughout the Cariboo.

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district. Hydraulic plants have been well favored with a wet season.

Considerable attention is now being given to quartz and the prospects in the Porserpine are showing up very well," says Mr. Sloan. New discoveries have been made in the Willows River and Chisholm Creek of the same class of ore as found in the Porserpine Mountain.

It was Mr. Sloan's first trip through the Cariboo country, and he was agreeably surprised at the agricultural developments of that country, which it is said are on a greater basis this year than for some time past.

LETTERS

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short, and legibly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for MSS. submitted to the Editor.

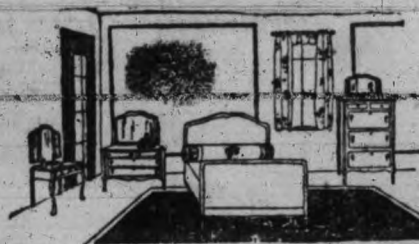
ANSWER TO CRIBBAGE QUERY

To the Editor. — As no one else seems disposed to answer your query re cribbage, permit me to say B is perfectly entitled to the run of three in the first two fours played have nothing whatever to do with the latter count.

OLD PLAYER.
1809 Blanshard Street, Victoria,
B.C., Aug. 14, 1919.

Weiler Bros. Prices Will Satisfy You

An inspection of the furniture displayed at Weiler Bros. and a comparison of the values offered elsewhere will convince you that you do spend to the best advantage when you buy at Weiler's. That is what we mean when we say "Weiler Bros.' prices will satisfy you." From the great collection of Bedroom Furniture now assembled at this store the following items have been selected as examples of Weiler Bros.' values.



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A Three-Drawer Dresser of solid oak, in dark Old English finish. It has large mirror and is constructed throughout in a most excellent manner. Price \$64.80



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A Mahogany Dresser, with large mirror and well-built drawers is priced at \$68.40

An Old English Solid Oak Chiffonier, with five drawers is unusually low priced at \$54.00

A Mahogany Chiffonier, with mirror top and beautifully constructed is only \$57.15

Dressers of golden fir in several handsome styles are marked at prices from \$21.60

A Chiffonier of Empire oak in nest design is only \$22.50

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GOVERNMENT STREET. OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

MISCREANT SPREAD GLASS ON ROADWAY

Was Swept Off Once, But Replaced Over Night; Serious Accident Just Avoided

The action of some miscreant in laying some broken glass on Shelbourne Street nearly resulted in a serious automobile accident this morning.

Last night when Councillor F. Terrell of Ward One, Saanich, was proceeding along Shelbourne Street he came to a point where he discovered about ten yards of the road littered with pieces of broken glass. The glass was of all sizes and shapes, there being some large pieces which meant sure disaster for auto tires. The councillor drew his car up short and, with the aid of some neighboring residents, set to work and swept the roadway clear of glass.

Early this morning Mr. Terrell had occasion to pass this point in the road again and what was his surprise to find the same ground once more covered with broken fragments of glass. He pulled his car up quickly, just saving himself from running on the glass. It happened that there were two motors behind him, both of which were proceeding at a rapid pace. One of the drivers endeavored to pass Mr. Terrell's standing car, but coming alongside he, too, perceived the glass and also drew up. The driver of the third car, not expecting that both of the motors in front would stop was able to draw his car up only when its front wheels had collided with the back of Mr. Terrell's automobile.

There is no doubt in the minds of those who saw the glass that it was put there by some malicious person with the idea of damaging motor tires. This is the third occasion on which glass has been found scattered in practically the same place.

NEW REAL ESTATE OFFICE IN VICTORIA

The Royal Financial Corporation, Ltd., of Vancouver, has opened an office in the B. C. Permanent Loan Building, under the management of W. E. McIntyre, who was connected with the real estate department in Messrs. Pemberton & Son's office before going overseas.

Mr. McIntyre states that the Vancouver office has sold three subdivisions since April, the first one being all sold within ten days. That office has found financial conditions exceptionally good and expecting them still to improve, has opened another office here.

The firm deals in stocks, bonds, insurance and real estate and manages properties. Their London office has had a large number of inquiries regarding small fruit farms and poultry ranches from people who expect to come to the Province as soon as the Government regulations permit them to leave England. As conditions on the lower part of the Island are ideal for those purposes, the firm here is getting listings of suitable properties to submit to the London office. Meanwhile the firm will engage in a general real estate business in the city and district.

GOES TO PHILLIPS.

Henderson, Ky., Aug. 15.—Outfielder Charles High, of the Evansville, Ind., club of the Three-I League, has been purchased by the Philadelphia Americans, it was announced, here to-day.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, August 16, 1894.

The tug Hope, which drifted on the rocks at Oak Bay yesterday, was floated this afternoon and is being towed to harbor.

The Australian liner Arawa arrived from Vancouver at half-past five yesterday afternoon and left four hours afterwards for Honolulu. It is reported that the U. S. Behring Sea fleet has dispersed for the winter. Some of the boats are said to have gone to Chinese waters.

FERNIE MINERS ARE RE-ORGANIZING UNDER UNITED MINE WORKERS

"Asked this morning as to his opinion of the situation at Fernie, Hon. Wm. Sloan, Minister of Mines, who has just returned from a trip through the interior, stated to a Times representative that—at a meeting at Fernie yesterday the miners decided to re-organize under the United Mine Workers again. G. Clarke,

SWITZERLAND'S FOOD

Berne, Aug. 15.—Owing to the improved supply of foodstuffs the bread cards will be abolished in Switzerland on September 1. The cards for the distribution of fats disappeared two months ago, but cheese and milk are still being sold under that system.

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we look at him,—not at his pocketbook.

For "The Phonograph with a Soul" is an instrument that finds its most appreciative home with those who understand music.

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A Pension for your Wife

A highly respected citizen of a small Ontario town died not long ago. He left his wife a considerable sum in the shape of Life Insurance besides the comfortable home in which they had lived happily together for several years. To-day that widow is keeping a boarding house in the city of Toronto.

The lady had been occupied with domestic affairs, and apart from household purchases had known little of the ways of the business world. As soon as the claim had been paid to her by the Insurance Company, interested parties sympathetically offered to invest her money for her. She was pleased to be rid of all worry and perplexity and gladly agreed to their suggestions. As a result she lost all, even her home.

Fortunately this is a very rare case, but how different the story would have been had the policyholder left his insurance on the "monthly income" plan. This widow would still have her home among her old friends and her monthly cheque would give her all the comforts of life. It is not fair to expect a woman who has had no experience in business to make a wise choice in her investments.

Under the "Monthly Income" policy issued by the Mutual Life of Canada the first instalment of income is payable to the beneficiary immediately upon receipt and approval of proof of death and a like instalment becomes payable monthly throughout his or her life. Under this contract the beneficiary becomes a life pensioner of the Company.

Write to-day for further particulars.

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FRED M. MCGREGOR, District Manager
203-204 Times Building, Victoria, B.C.

HOSPITAL IS BADLY IN NEED OF FUNDS

Royal Jubilee Faces Deficit of
Over \$35,000; Must Be
Made Up

Facing a deficit of \$35,206.81 at the end of July, the directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital at the board meeting last night decided that something would have to be done immediately to relieve the strain. The first move to this end will be to arrange a meeting with the City Council for the purpose of putting the matter plainly before the members. The board wants to know what is to be done about the maintenance of this institution for the sick.

The fact that the City Council has made grants for certain other purposes this year that are not nearly so important as the question of public health, in the opinion of the directors, will be used as an argument if necessary to induce the Council to see its duty as the Hospital Board construes it.

State of Finances.
The Board became alarmed at the financial state of affairs when Secretary G. T. Carver's report for July showed that the revenue was \$9,236.09 as against \$12,555.60 of expenditure. The deficit was growing greater, it was stated, and something would have to be done at once to balance accounts. The whole matter of finance will be gone into thoroughly and the public kept advised of the condition of affairs.

James Forman said that City Councils had thrown away enough money to build a new hospital. He was of the opinion that the city could well increase its grant from \$40,000 to \$50,000 for public health purposes.

Mrs. Rhodes objected strongly to the directors being forced into a position where they virtually had to bow the knee to the Council in order to get reasonable treatment for the hospital. "If they do not deal fairly with us, we should turn over the keys of the institution and let the Council run it," she said.

Dr. Book said that as an important public institution it was the duty of the Council to see that it was properly provided for. He said that \$5,000,000 had been earmarked by the United States to take precautions against a recurrence of the influenza, but in this country nothing had been done to guard against another epidemic this winter.

The whole facts will be laid plainly before the City Council.

A Legacy.
A bright spot appeared on the financial horizon when it was announced that through the kindness of the late Forest Angus, the hospital funds would benefit to the extent of \$1,163.35. Mr. Wright explained that some six years before his death the late Mr. Angus had bequeathed him a cheque for \$1,000 to be paid over to the hospital after the donor's demise. The interest brought the total donation to the amount stated. The Board accepted the gift with the deepest sense of gratitude and appreciation.

A new agreement respecting the treatment of military patients has been entered into whereby the hospital will be paid \$2.50 per diem for military patients instead of \$2.00, but the \$2.50 will cover all expenses instead of only part as formerly. The minimum wage adjustments will mean a further outlay for female employees of approximately \$2,500 per annum. Chinese employees in the tubercular ward are demanding an increase from \$35.00 to \$40.00 a month.

It was reported that a new operating table had been installed, this being made possible through the kindness of a number of doctors who personally furnished the necessary \$800.

GREAT AUTHORS ON COSMOPOLITAN STAFF

Unusual Editorial Policy Accounts For Magazine's
Vast Popularity

Many magazines have a large staff of professional readers whose business it is to read over the mass of manuscripts sent in to the magazine by the public. These readers gradually sift down and eliminate the less desirable stories and articles. The rest is sent in to the editor for a final selection. "The old type of editor," says Rupert Hughes, "asked of a rock and dipped out of the tide of manuscripts flowing past, such things as seemed to suit his hobbies." Cosmopolitan, while keenly alert for the newcomer and the wayfarer, realizes that what the public wants is the best. Therefore it has long been Cosmopolitan's policy to print only the novels, stories and special features of the greatest authors of our day; men and women whose works have become recognized by the public as the best. Many of these distinguished authors write exclusively for Cosmopolitan, which affords them an abundance of leisure for the production of vital, masterly work.

So when you pick up a copy of Cosmopolitan on the news-stands, you will recognize the name of every author in it.

Take September Cosmopolitan for instance. There are short stories by Rupert Hughes, Peter B. Kyne, Governor Morris, James Oliver Curwood, Albert Payson Terhune, Dana Gatlin, and Frank R. Adams; novels by Rupert W. Chambers, and Samuel Merwin; special features by Fannie Hurst, Meredith Nicholson and Basil King; and a poem by Ella Wheeler Wilcox. Everyone a world famous name.

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Colored "Tub" Silk Waists at Modest Prices Qualities That Will Win The Approval of All

Waists that are inexpensive, yet made in pretty styles from materials of commendable quality; styles that will permit you to dress stylishly at a minimum cost and are, therefore, to you a money-saving opportunity.

Waists, made from colored, Stripe "Tub" Silk, in which the stripes are shades of tan, green and rose, in various widths on a white ground. They are well made in semi-tailored style and have convertible or circular collars. Sizes 34 to 44, at, each, \$2.90

Waists, of colored silk made in tailored style; the front, sailor collar and cuffs and full length sleeves being trimmed with cluster "pin" tucking. The shades presented in these pretty waists are apricot, flesh, maize, grey, navy and Copenhagen, at, each, \$3.90

—Waists, First Floor, Douglas

Fittings for Your Fire- place

Fire Brasses, Kerbs and Fire Guards at August Sale Prices

These reductions in fireplace fittings will be interesting to all householders. Every article listed is of good quality, new and of fine design.

One only, Brass Kerb, size 58 inches x 16 inches; good value at \$18.75, selling at, each, \$16.75

One Brass Kerb, of fine quality, complete with fire-brasses and dogs; size 54 x 15 inches. Regular \$36.75, selling at, a clearing price, \$29.75

One Brass Kerb and Fire Brasses, neat Sheraton design; size 54 x 15 inches. Regular \$24.74, selling at, \$21.75

One Brass Kerb, low rail; size 48 x 12 inches. Regular \$24.75, at an August Sale Price, \$11.25

Antique Copper and Brass Fire-guards; size 24 x 30 inches. Regular \$15.75, August Sale Price, \$12.95

Fine Shield Fire-guard, in black and brass, at, \$4.50

Fine Shield Fire-guard, in antique copper, at, \$5.00

Fine Brasses, in copper, brass and black, at, Special Prices.

Fire Dogs, in brass, copper and black and copper, at, up from, \$35¢

—Drapery Department, Second Floor, Douglas

1,000 Yards Inlaid Linoleum Selling at—A Sq. Yd.—\$1.89

This is the much-favored, well-known quality that has the colors stamped right through to the canvas; a quality that has years of service in its construction. This thousand yards of linoleum offers a fine selection of block and tile designs that we have been unable to offer during the last two years at less than \$2.25 a square yard. Now is the time to renew your sanitary floor covering. The linoleum goes on sale for the remainder of the August sale at a square yard \$1.89

—Carpet, Second Floor, Douglas

Another Inviting Offering of Choice Silks, Satins and Velvets

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales will pay a memorable visit to Victoria, commencing September 23. This will cause an unusual social activity. Society functions and entertainments will be many, therefore the need for stylish gowns will be imperative. Permit us then to advise you that our Silk Department is replete with a full selection of shades, styles and new ideas, and all at a moderate price. Novelties have been arriving every day for the last ten days, and we invite you to call and inspect the display. Remember, there is only an interval of six weeks in which to prepare for the Royal reception, not a great time, when dressmakers are busy. You will see new colors in our Douglas Street windows.

Beautiful Art-Silk Select Shades in Silk Georgettes Georgettes

These are shown in exquisite designs and make up into superb gowns, blouses and millinery. There are colorings to suit every taste, from the neat scroll effects to the large floral designs. The shadings are lovely, and over color silk foundations are all that can be desired. Made up also in combinations with plain georgettes a soft, pleasing appearance is obtained.

A great demand exists for these filmy silks. For blouses, dresses and over-dresses their soft, rich, flowing effects are beyond comparison. The colorings are beautiful, including coral, old rose, maize, sapphire, putty, saxe, peacock, Copenhagen, Alice, Belgian, light and dark navy, cerise, sand, beige, heliotrope, purple, wine, pink, flesh, beaver, taupe, myrtle, laurel, brown, apricot, white, cream and black. All Forty Inches—At, a yard, \$2.00 and \$3.00

Charmeuse Satins Crepe de Chines

These are shown in all colors and white and black; forty inches wide. At, a yard, \$3.00 to \$4.50

All Silk Duchess Satins—In every desirable shade; a most extensive choice; thirty-six inches wide. Special value at, a yard, \$2.00 and \$2.50

All Silk Chiffon Taffetas—In fine, soft finish; new shades for the early Fall; thirty-six inches wide. Special at, a yard, \$2.75

These are shown in great variety and in every wanted shade, offering the same excellent choice as in the georgettes, and we have them in all qualities and colors.

Thirty-six inches wide. Special at, a yard, \$1.45

Forty inches wide. Special at, a yard, \$2.00

Forty inches wide. Special at, a yard, \$2.50

In ivory and black; all grades, from, a yard, \$1.45 to \$4.75

Rich Tones in Handsome Velvets

Velvets are to be worn in many different fashions, and there is a certainty of their truly handsome effect in all rich suits, dresses, coats, useful sleeveless coats, separate skirts, and in millinery its worth is well known. The choice we offer in velvets is as follows:

Twenty-One-Inch Plain Velveteens—In colors. At, a yard, \$1.00

Twenty-Two-Inch Plain Velveteens—In colors. At, a yard, \$1.50

Twenty-Four-Inch Plain Velveteens—In colors. At, a yard, \$1.50

Twenty-Seven-Inch Plain Velveteens—In colors. At, a yard, \$2.00

Twenty-Two, Twenty-Four, Thirty-Six and Forty-Five-Inch English Silk Velvets—In black only; an endless choice. At from, a yard, \$1.00 up to \$7.50

—Silks, Main, Floor, Douglas

Twenty-Seven-Inch Cord Velvets—In colors. At, a yard, \$1.00

Twenty-Seven-Inch Cord Velvets—In colors. At, a yard, \$1.50

Thirty-Six-Inch Plain Velvets—In colors. At, a yard, \$3.50

Thirty-Six-Inch Plain Velvets—In colors. At, a yard, \$7.50

A Few Choice Lines From the Furniture Department at August Sale Prices

Mahogany Buffet—Of massive construction, five feet long; fitted with bevelled plate glass mirror 4 feet 8 inches by 18 inches, three cupboard doors and four drawers; one drawer is full width and one is lined for silverware reception; the buffet is slightly scratched, therefore is being sold at, \$86.00

A Mahogany Dinner Wagon—To match the buffet; will also be cleared at, \$23.50

Buffet—Old English, quarter-cut brown oak, with plate rack, panelled doors and antique handles. This buffet is of very sound construction, and offers an excellent value at, \$41.00

An Easy Chair—Upholstered in tapestry, grandfather style. This chair is slightly shop soiled, and is being cleared at, \$25.00

A Den Chair—All upholstered in tapestry. This is a splendid value at a sale price of, \$25.00

—Furniture, Fourth Floor, Broad



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There is a satisfaction in knowing you can get a sweater of fine quality in tasteful colors at a moderate price. In the sweaters we will describe to you in this advertisement there are qualities that make them very inviting values just now, when school days are about to begin again and you need a smart, comfortable garment.

Boys' Ribbed Sweater Coats, in wool mixture; made with military collar and two pockets. A medium weight and in attractive color combinations, such as olive and brown, Oxford and green, maroon and green and plain maroon. Sizes 26 and 28, at, each, \$2.75

Sizes 32 and 34, at, each, \$3.00

Boys' Pull-Over Style Sweater, in wool mixture; medium weight, ribbed, and made with vest shape collar. They are very handsome in colors of Oxford and green, selling at the following prices:

Sizes 26 and 28, at, each, \$1.75

Sizes 30 and 32, at, each, \$1.85

Size 34, at, each, \$1.95

These are sweaters that will be popular this Fall.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and the Nutmeg Grater.
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 (By Howard R. Garis.)

"Something in your kitchen smells very good, Nurse Jane," said Uncle Wiggily to his muskrat lady housekeeper one morning, as he stood on the stoop of the hollow stump bungalow.

"Well, I am trying to make a rice pudding," spoke Miss Fuzzy Wuzzy. "Are you only just trying to?"

Uncle Wiggily wanted to know, anticipating like and casual.

"I could make it all right if I had a nutmeg grater," went on the muskrat lady, "but mine is broken and until I get a new one I'm afraid there will be no rice pudding."

"I must sprinkle nutmeg on the rice pudding to give it the proper flavor," she added. "Of course I could get

nutmeg already powdered at the store, but I like to take one of the whole nutmegs myself, rub it up and down on the round grater, like a file, and make my rice pudding that way."

"It is the best," said Uncle Wiggily. "I'll hope right over to the six and seven cent store and bring you back a grater."

"And bring some fresh nutmegs, too," spoke Nurse Jane. So Uncle Wiggily said he would.

On he hopped, over the fields and through the woods, and soon he was at the grocery store, kept by the nice monkey dole gentleman.

"Here you are! Nice, fresh nutmegs!" said the monkey dole, and he gave Uncle Wiggily some of the round, brown nuts that have such a nice, spicy smell and which make rice pudding taste so deliciously.

"Now for the nutmeg grater!" said Uncle Wiggily to himself as he hopped along a little further. "And then, ho! for a rice pudding!"

The bunny rabbit soon found a six and seven cent store where nutmeg graters were sold. A little pussy cat girl waited on him. Soon with the grater, which was like a file, wrapped in paper that it would not scratch him, Uncle Wiggily was on his way back to his hollow stump bungalow.

But the rabbit gentleman had not hopped very far through the woods before, all at once, he heard a voice calling:

"Oh, I can't get out! I can't get out! I'm caught in a trap and I can't get out!"

"I must be careful," he whispered the bunny rabbit gentleman to himself. "Perhaps this is a trick of the Ekeezicks or the Skuddlemagoon. They may be pretending to be in a trap, so that I will hop close enough so they can grab me and get my house. I must be careful."

And Uncle Wiggily was careful. He looked all around and, once more, the voice called:

"Help me out of the trap! Oh, please help me out of the trap! Who are you? Where are you? And what is the trap?" asked Uncle Wiggily, his pink nose twinkling twice as fast as an ice cream cone.

"I am Jennie Chipmunk," was the answer. "And I am under the sassafras tree, caught in a wooden box trap that the Pipsesewah set here. I didn't see it until I stumbled in it, and I can't get out."

"O, well, I'll help you out!" cried Uncle Wiggily, in his jolly voice, as he hopped over to where he saw a sassafras bush growing. "Have no fear, Jennie, I'll help you out."

The bunny rabbit gentleman saw where the trap had been set. As Jennie had said, it was made of wood and as soon as Uncle Wiggily saw that he said:

"O, ho! With my sharp, gnawing teeth, I can soon bite through

Social Personal

Miss Sinclair, of Victoria, is spending a vacation at White Rock, the guest of Mrs. Barge.

Mrs. G. Dinsley, 2603 Douglas Street, is visiting in Vancouver, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Grant.

Dr. G. A. B. Hall, of Vancouver, former City Health Officer in Victoria, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Marlett, of this city, have gone over to Vancouver on a visit to Mrs. S. H. Marshall, Denman Street.

Miss Beatrice Ross and Miss Merle Cameron are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. W. R. Johnson, 2967 Cadboro Bay Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnston, McPherson Avenue, left on S.S. President this morning for Los Angeles and other Southern points.

Miss Laura Ellis and Miss Sara Parkington, of this city, have been visiting in Vancouver for a few days, and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. F. M. Munn, of Beachwood Avenue, Ford Bay, returned on Thursday from a visit to Mrs. B. Munn at Fort Moody, near Vancouver.

Miss Eberts, daughter of Mr. Justice and Mrs. Eberts, of Victoria, has been visiting in Vancouver, the guest of Mrs. Newton Burdick, Kensington Court, for a few days.

Miss W. Green returned on Thursday to her home at Vancouver after spending the past ten days in the city as the guest of her brother, J. R. Green, and Mrs. Green, Rockland Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parish, of Edmonton, Alberta, are registered at the Strathcona Hotel on a visit to the Coast for a few days, after which they will visit Seattle and return to Edmonton via Prince Rupert.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Fox, of Brentwood, are visiting in the city for a few days and are the guests of Mrs. W. B. Smith, 1224 Sunnyside Avenue, Victoria, West, prior to leaving for England on an extended tour.

Howard Chandler Christy, the famous artist and illustrator, was married in New York on Thursday evening to Mrs. Nancy May Palmer, a widow, who has been his favorite model for the past eight years.

A very pretty wedding took place at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning at "Cloverdale" Alberni, the residence of Mrs. Peter M. Nicholas, the bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas and George Roy Weston, of the Pacific Cable Board, Nanaimo, were united in marriage by the Rev. Hugh A. Bain. The bride, who was given away by her brother, William G. Nicholas, looked charming in a navy serge costume and white picture hat with osprey trimming, and carried a sheaf bouquet of white and pink roses, carnations and asparagus fern. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Henry W. Armstrong, as matron of honor, who wore a chic costume of purple silk poplin and a black shadow hat with purple trimmings. She also carried a bouquet of white carnations, sweet peas and asparagus fern. The bridegroom was supported by Noel Hinton, of Bamfield. After the ceremony a reception was held in the same room, which was prettily decorated with pink tulle roses, marguerites and maidenhair fern, where the numerous and valuable presents were inspected and refreshments served. The bridegroom's gift to the matron of honor was a silver card case and to the groomsmen a pair of cuff links. The happy couple left by the morning train en route to Vancouver, where the honeymoon will be spent. Mr. and Mrs. Weston expect to leave in a few weeks for Norfolk Islands, near New Zealand, whither Mr. Weston has been transferred.

Paris, Aug. 15.—This city's first real display of styles since the war began is being attended by about three hundred American buyers, who, however, are showing themselves to be more independent of the dictates of French dressmakers than ever before.

Brown, according to the new models, is again in marked favor. Soft materials are used generally and flounces, panniers and the design of the new models tends toward the strictly feminine appearance. There is not the slightest suggestion of the masculine, a tailor-made effect of the past. Paris is clinging to the skirts hanging seven to eight inches from the ground. The American buyers, the dressmakers say, are ridiculing the shortness of the gowns, although admitting the American-skirts have been too long.

Collars are high in many cases and if cut open are adjusted so they may be buttoned close to the throat.

Americans are having almost a battle with Parisian dressmakers over the backless evening gowns offered, which the Americans are insisting on having filled in with lace, to the amazement of the French designers, who protest that women should be allowed to display their well-formed backs. Hats for fall and winter are both large and small, but in cases will frame the face. Velvet and trimmings will be of ostrich feathers, ospreys and monkey furs.

Asked to Foot Bill.—The City Council while in Streets Committee yesterday afternoon was asked by a deputation from the Victoria and Island Development Association to pay numerous small expenses connected with the National Editorial Convention here, amounting to \$200. The aldermen gave the request serious consideration, and referred the matter to the Finance Committee.

the sides of that trap and set you free. Have no fear, Jennie!"

So Jennie had no fear, and Uncle Wiggily began to gnaw. But he found that the bad Pipsesewah had made the trap of hardwood, almost like iron, and the rabbit gentleman couldn't gnaw it at all.

"Oh, can't you get me out?" cried Jennie.

"Of course I can!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "If I can't gnaw that wood to bits with my teeth I can file it away with the sharp, sand-paper side of the nutmeg grater. That will open the trap, Jennie."

Uncle Wiggily rubbed and scraped and pushed and shoved the rough nutmeg grater over the wooden trap, until, hard as it was, he had scraped a way out for Jennie.

"O, thank you so much!" chattered Jennie Chipmunk as she scrambled out. "I thank you, Uncle Wiggily!"

"But I don't!" cried a harsh voice. "I don't thank you at all! Now, Mr. Longears, since you let Jennie out of the trap in which I caught her, I'll take some of your source in place of hers!" and out jumped the Pipsesewah.

"O, will you? Well have a little nutmeg first!" bravely cried the bunny. Then he reached out of the nutmeg grater and rubbed it on the nose of the Pips.

"Oh, wow! Double wow an some more!" howled the bad chap. "I'm glad I'm not a nutmeg!" Then away he ran, not hurting Jennie nor the bunny. And when the rice pudding was baked the Pipsesewah didn't have a bit.

Thus everything came out all right, and if the golden doesn't take all the molasses off the popcorn ball and use it to fasten a postage stamp on the letter box, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Mrs. Spin-Spin.

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Among the most popular features of the hut are the entertainments held on every alternate Friday evening, when ex-service men and their lady friends are the guests of the institution. Last night a military five hundred party and informal dance attracted nearly two hundred returned men with their wives and sweethearts, and the festivities commenced at eight o'clock and were kept up till nearly midnight.

Twenty-five tables were engaged in play, the winners being Miss Laycock, Miss M. Steele, Messrs. J. M. King and A. E. Mudge.

At the close of the card games, the tables were cleared away and the big recreation hall given over to the dancers, who quickly thronged the floor. The music was furnished by Messrs. Young, Broughton and Symons. During the evening delicious refreshments were served under the direction of Mrs. Clarke.

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WEST SAANICH INSTITUTE
 Mrs. Fox, Retiring President, Presented With Handsome Bag: Successful Card Party.

The West Saanich Woman's Institute held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. O. Wallace, Brentwood, with many present. It was with much regret the Institute accepted the resignation of their president, Mrs. C. R. Fox, who is leaving for England shortly, and the Institute took this occasion to present to her a beautiful leather handbag as a token of appreciation of her untiring zeal and enthusiasm in her work. Mrs. Fox replied to the presentation in her usual charming manner.

After the business was dispensed with the members took part in a whistling contest, Mrs. W. O. Wallace winning first prize, Mrs. Crocker second, and Miss Mater third. Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

The military five hundred held on Wednesday, August 6 was a great success. Those winning first prize were as follows: Miss Freeland, Messrs. F. Richardson, Pomroy and B. MacNeill; second, Miss Clark, Mrs. Verdier, W. O. Wallace and Mr. Serup.

The attention test caused much fun and laughter. Those winning first prize were as follows: Gladys Guy and Mr. Marchant. Mr. Walker kindly donated the prizes for this contest.

Another of these popular card parties will be held next Wednesday evening at 8.30 at the Institute rooms, Sluggits.

O. D. E. Greetings by Aerial Mail.—Although the Lady Douglas Chapter is proud of its motto, "Keep One Hand on the Traditions of the Past," it is quick to show its progressive spirit and keep abreast of the times. Yesterday Mrs. Colin Cummins, the secretary, dispatched by the first official serial mail a letter of greetings to the chapter to the Easton Chapter, Nanaimo, probably the first O. D. E. communication ever sent by an aeroplane.

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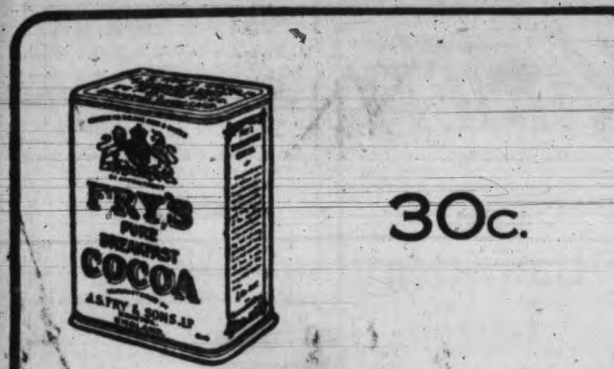
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HAS HIGH PRAISE FOR LAND POLICY

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British Columbia's Land Settlement policy has received great praise at the hands of Christopher Turner, of the Royal Colonial Institute, who is now visiting points in the interior of the Province in the interests of British ex-soldiers' settlement. Mr. Turner was in Victoria recently and an interview with him appeared in the columns of The Times.

Mr. Turner is a practical agriculturist and a live student of conditions of agriculture and settlement. He has visited a great many sections of the Empire, and has noted the efforts being put forth by the various governments in the matter of repatriation.

In an interview at Smithers last Saturday he stated that so far in his studies he has found the land settlement policy of the government of British Columbia the most advanced, most liberal, most comprehensive and productive of results more immediate and lasting in their beneficial effects than any other plan adopted by governments for coping with after war conditions.

Mr. Turner said there was every reason why old country settlers should be attracted to this province, though every effort is being made to keep the Imperialist at home by making land available. There was a big surplus, however, which the Royal Colonial Institute was anxious to keep under the British flag by sending suitable homes in British Colonies.

British Columbia was rich in natural resources that go for basic and permanent prosperity and he felt that every effort should be made to see that it should be kept British by inducing British people to make their homes here.

RABBIT BREEDERS ARE URGED TO EXHIBIT AT HOME PRODUCTS FAIR

All who are interested in raising rabbits as home products to reduce the cost of living will welcome the news that the Victoria Rabbit Breeders' Association has arranged with the management of the Home Products Fair for space to stage an exhibition of the best breeding stock at the forthcoming fair, September 22 to 27, inclusive.

As in the past this fair is to be held in the spacious Hudson's Bay Company's building on Douglas Street under the direction of George I. Warren, general manager, 510-11 Sayward building, Victoria, and this year gives every indication of eclipsing the success of former exhibitions of home products.

W. Miller Higgs, of Sooke, who has been appointed sub-secretary for the rabbit exhibition, reports already that several intending exhibitors have guaranteed quite a number of entries to this interesting section of the fair in live and dressed products. The live exhibits will be properly staged so that visitors will be able to get an advantageous view of the animals and wire coops have been kindly loaned by the Department of Agriculture, through J. R. Terry, Chief Poultry Instructor, who has taken the keenest interest in the work of the Rabbit Breeders' Association. Not only will the animals be properly staged but intending exhibitors need have no fear as to the well being of their stock during the fair, for they will be under complete and careful charge of the superintendent and his staff of workers to be appointed by the Rabbit Breeders' Association, there being some official on duty all the time to see that no exhibit is handled without authority. The entrance fee will cover the feeding of the exhibits during the show. It is hoped that the Association will be in a position to award handsome ribbons to all prize-winners whether the exhibitors are members of the Association or not, but it is also contemplated that there will be a nice list of valuable special prizes to be competed for by members. Any rabbit breeder can join the Victoria Rabbit Breeders' Association at once and so be eligible to compete for these special prizes—membership fee should be sent to the hon. secretary, Mr. P. Morrison, 2740 Avebury Avenue, Victoria.

With the above arrangements practically completed a very interesting exhibit is looked forward to and visitors will have an excellent opportunity of seeing at the fair some of the finest stock on Vancouver Island. Intending exhibitors should lose no time in writing to W. Miller Higgs, who will forward a list of classes provided for, together with a list of the special prizes offered just so soon as these are off the press.

VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

Mayor Pitt, of Duncan, has received word from Lieut.-Col. H. G. Henderson, the Governor-General's secretary, that H. R. H. the Prince of Wales will make a short stop at Duncan on the morning of Friday, September 26.

An address of welcome from the residents of the entire electoral district is being prepared for presentation. This will be read. Any other addresses from recognized bodies will be handed in.

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backing down the steep incline of the highway, as happened in the accident referred to.

The Transportation Committee was instructed to interview Captain Trout, commodore of the B. C. Coast service, urging the installation of a loading elevator at the local wharf. The co-operation of the local Automobile Association will be invited in taking this action.—Nanaimo Free Press.

Cowichan Lake Fire. Damage of about \$12,000 loss, partially covered by insurance, was done by fire to the Empire Lumber Co.'s loading wharf at Cowichan Lake late on Monday afternoon. A spark from the donkey engine blew into a Chinaman's bedroom near the bunkhouse and the resultant blaze destroyed the office, storehouse, containing new wire cable and other valuable supplies, bunkhouse and 300 feet of the wharf from the buildings to the land.

The firemen, aided with a pump and hose, could only work from the lake end of the wharf. A tremendous wind was blowing. Immediate reconstruction is planned.—Cowichan Leader.

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Business Man: "What does she want?"
Typist: "The only word I can make out is 'idiot'."
Business Man: "I'll come at once. She probably wants to talk to me."

PROPOSES TO ERECT \$400,000 THEATRE

Eastern Capitalist Plans Ambitious Plan Before City Council

The erection of a theatre costing, with its site, about \$400,000 is the purpose of J. R. Thomas, vice-president of the Roycroft Society, and a well-known American capitalist of Portland, Maine, who has been visiting this city for the last few weeks. Mr. Thomas has been asked by the City Council for the exemption of his theatre from taxation for a certain period, but the Council, though in sympathy with the scheme, finds that it has no power to grant such a privilege. The promoter of the project, however, does not intend to allow this to deter him, will meet the civic authorities again on the question.

Mr. Thomas informed the civic authorities yesterday afternoon that he would be willing to deposit a certified cheque for \$25,000 as a guarantee that he would fulfill his plans. This money to go to any charitable institution if he failed to make good. The building, Mr. Thomas informed the Council while in Streets Committee, would cost in the neighborhood of \$300,000, and, including the cost of the site and the interior decoration and equipment, an expenditure of about \$400,000 would be made. Mr. Thomas told the aldermen that he would erect a building that would bear comparison with any in America, and would contain many new innovations and inventions that were the outcome of the latest experiments in acoustics. Moreover, he would undertake that no ticket would ever be sold for more than \$1.

When informed that the Council had no power to grant the tax exemption for a period of years as requested Mr. Thomas, though naturally disappointed, has not given up his project. He is much impressed with Victoria and its climate, and declares that there is an extraordinary amount of dramatic talent which ought to be cultivated. It would be his intention to stage good comedy and high class educational plays, bringing in a leading man and a leading lady from the United States and, with their support, Victoria talent would be given an opportunity of expanding. In fact, Mr. Thomas stated that he has already entered into arrangements with some of the best New York theatrical agents whereby he is assured that he can secure the best talent obtainable.

A site for his proposed theatre has been selected by Mr. Thomas and, indeed, he has commenced to deal with the owners. The site is in the downtown centre of the city, convenient for everyone and near to all car lines.

Mr. Thomas is prepared to donate to charitable purposes all profits made by the theatre in excess of the

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 16, 5 a. m.—The barometer remains high over Northern B. C. and fine, warm weather is general from Cariboo to California.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.89; temperature, maximum yesterday, 80; minimum, 60; wind, 4 miles N.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 90; minimum, 68; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, maximum yesterday, 84; minimum, 44; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 54; wind, calm; rain, 5; weather, cloudy, fog.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.

Temperature.

	Max.	Min.
Portland, Ore.	86	68
Seattle	78	62
San Francisco	62	52
Cranbrook	82	..
Penticton	84	..
Grand Forks	87	..
Kaslo	74	..
Calgary	76	..
Edmonton	76	..
Qu Appelle	74	..
Winnipeg	70	..
Toronto	83	..
Ottawa	72	..
Montreal	72	..
St. John	66	..
Halifax	64	..

Gladys: "What did papa do?"
Jack: "He showed me the door."
Gladys: "And what did you say?"
Jack: "Oh, I said it was certainly a very fine door, but it wasn't what I had come to talk about. That made him laugh, and a minute later you were mine."—Tit-Bits.

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What this training will mean to those poor little folks in after life is far beyond measurement. No human agency can take the place of music in the lives of common people—that great body of laboring people of the world—as President Wilson lately expressed himself "the men and women and children upon whom the great burden of sustaining the world must from day to day fall, whether we wish it to do so or not, people who go to bed tired and wake up without the stimulation of a lively hope."

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the homes from which our pupils come there is singing in the homes as a result of singing in the schools and more than that the parents and older brothers and sisters are getting the singing habit.

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LEONCAVALLO DEAD

Composer of Opera "I Pagliacci" Dies in Rome at Age of 63 Years.

Rome, Aug. 9.—Ruggiero Leoncavallo, the composer, has died at the age of sixty-three years. Born in Naples in 1856 he received his musical education in the Naples Conservatoire, where early he showed marked ability, and at the age of sixteen made his first tour as a pianist.

He leaped into fame as a composer in 1892 with his opera "I Pagliacci," which was his first, as well as the most popular of his works. Later he wrote "Medici," "Savonarola," "Tribuna," "Cavalleria," and "Zaza," none of which however have attained the popularity of his maiden effort.

Jones, who was suffering from neuralgia, went to the dentist to have some teeth extracted.

The dentist, after looking at his teeth, said:

"Have you had advice before about these teeth?"

"Yes," replied Jones. "I went to the chemist last night."

"And what idiotic thing did the chemist advise you to do?"

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BRITISH BAND ON VISIT TO CANADA

Grenadier Guards' Band Will Play in Eastern Canada and States

Eastern Canada is about to have an opportunity of hearing the famous band of the British Grenadier Guards, which great musical organization will disembark at Quebec in a day or so on its way to the Canadian National Exhibition at Toronto. After the fair the band is to make a short tour of Eastern Canada and part of the Eastern United States before its return to London.

The visit of the British musicians undoubtedly will be doubly welcomed

BAND OF GRENADIER GUARDS NOW DUE ON THE MEGANTIC

On her arrival at Montreal tomorrow the White Star Dominion liner Megantic will land the famous band of the Grenadier Guards which left Liverpool August 8 for Toronto, where the band will appear in connection with the Exposition. One her return trip to Liverpool, the Megantic will leave Montreal August 23. A large number of Victoria and Vancouver people have booked passage by the Megantic.

by all music-lovers within close enough range to attend any of the concerts—first, because of the pleasure it will bring, and secondly, because the tour indicates a revival of the National Exhibition directors' pre-war policy of bringing one of the famous British brass bands across the Atlantic each year for the big fair in Toronto.

The Grenadiers come to Toronto not as strangers, but as old acquaintances, for this will be their third or fourth visit in recent years. There are hundreds of thousands in Eastern Canada who have heard the band at the Toronto exhibition on its previous visits, and no doubt a large percentage of them will avail themselves of the opportunity to hear it again this year.

The band is under the direction of Captain Albert Williams, whose comprehensive knowledge of music and gifts as a conductor have been matters of record for many years past. Those to whom the work of the Grenadiers in former years was familiar will look for the same super-tone quality of the individual instruments and the merging of the individuals into an ensemble of the effects of which place the organization in the front ranks of the world's great brass bands. There will be solos, too, in which the executive ability and taste of various players will be displayed before the audiences to the accompaniment of the rest of the big group.

In former years, besides the Grenadiers, the band of the Coldstream Guards, the band of the Black Watch and the Besses of the Barn Band visited the Toronto exhibition, but it did not fall the lot of all to make tours of Eastern Canada and the United States. Such an event, as far as the American part of the tour is concerned, comes this year under particularly favorable auspices, extending to music the reciprocity of ideas built up between Great Britain and the United States during the years of close association in the great fight for world liberty and right. A warm welcome no doubt awaits the famous Old World band in the American cities it will visit.

Another source of note is that the Prince of Wales, who will appear at the National Exhibition, will have the pleasure of hearing one of the Guards' bands from London.

SANG IN CONCERT PARTY AT FRONT

Miss Inez Wilson, who arrived early in June from overseas, where she has been for ten months as a member of "The Little Cheer From Home" company, under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A., attached to the American army has been visiting friends in Vancouver.

Miss Wilson has followed the troops from France into many countries, and has entertained French, British, Italian, Polish and Canadian troops, though she sang mostly for the American forces, being attached to that army.

While in London Miss Wilson was delightfully entertained by Madame Ranier, formerly of Vancouver, and sang in many private houses, being honored with an enthusiastic reception by the Royal Automobile Club.

Mrs. I. Wilson accompanies her daughter and both are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Cornish, now of Seattle, but former residents of this city. They will leave for New York in a few weeks and later in the fall will go to London, where Miss Wilson has arranged for a season of concerts. She will also give some concerts in New York with Mr. Henry Souvaine, former accompanist of Mme. Galli-Curci, who belonged to the overseas unit.

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MUNICIPAL OPERA TRIED IN ST. LOUIS

Ambitious Scheme For Six Weeks' Season Proved Great Success

St. Louis, Missouri.—In the early spring the newspapers were having a good deal to say about a season of opera in the Municipal Theatre in Forest Park. As the rigors of winter were passing, it seemed a delightful prospect; in 1914 we had had unforgettable performances of "As You Like It," "Aida," and "Pagliacci," as the most pretentious works.

And so at last we were to try a whole season of opera. The public was asked to select the operas. After several weeks, in which we set forth the virtues of our favorites, the following list was published: "Robin Hood," "The Bohemian Girl," "El Capitán," "Fra Diavolo," "The Mikado," and "Carmen," each one to receive a week's performance throughout a season of six weeks.

In the second week, when it was seen that the community chorus found it difficult to learn an entire opera in a week's time, the list of works was revised, "Fra Diavolo" and "Carmen" giving place to "The Wizard of the Nile" and "The Chimes of Normandy." It will be seen that three of the operas are of American origin, two of English, and one of French. The chorus was made up largely of St. Louis talent; young singers from the schools, and the more experienced ones from the various clubs. For weeks voices were tried, and those who were accepted accounted it an honor. When the real work of rehearsing began, these amateurs-amateurs in the strict sense of the word—willingly kept at it from nine o'clock in the morning to five in the afternoon. Not infrequently they were called again in the evening, terminating their day's work as late as midnight or later.

The Public as Participant. The project has been truly a community one. When the committee of citizens headed by the Mayor, met to discuss the matter of summer amusement—an amusement which should be educative and cultural—the first plan was to have the Ben Greet Players in a season of Shakespeare, but a musical enterprise was desired in order to reach the masses and to give the community a chance to take part.

It has been a wonderful opportunity to give opera. "Robin Hood" lent itself remarkably to outdoor treatment. We can see how, in the future, operas will be specially written for this theatre. Nature has strikingly fashioned the place.

Imagine a hillside leading down to a natural stage, the stage already charmingly set with foliage, and two great oak trees, one on each side of the stage, towering fifty or sixty feet in the air and definitely forming the proscenium arch. There it has been all these years in its potential glory. The hillside here is called Grand Concret, and is crowned with an ornamental colonnade. The auditorium has a depth of 255 feet, an average width of 225 feet, and a total seating capacity of 9,750, at least 3,000 seats are thrown open to the public free of charge. The orchestra pit accommodates 150 musicians. The stage, built upon the banks of the River des Peres, has a total length of 120 feet and is ninety feet deep to the bridge which leads across the little river. However, as the bridge and the shrouber beyond—the post scenery—are often shown in the scenes, the perspective is much greater.

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Deficit Small. The one great weakness of an undertaking like this is that audience and stage are exposed to the elements. During the early weeks of opera in June, the weather was totally out of harmony with the civic spirit; winds and rains drove the audience helter-skelter, and on a few evenings no performances could be given. With abundant moonlight of late, however, vast audiences have attended. It is now, in consequence, expected that the deficit will be small. The permanent committee is already planning to give ten weeks of opera next year, including grand opera if the public wishes it.

The total guarantee fund is \$30,000. The cost of producing "Robin Hood" was \$14,213.75; "The Bohemian Girl," \$12,227.44; "El Capitán," \$11,118.95; "The Mikado," \$10,550; "The Wizard of the Nile" (estimated), \$11,000; "The Chimes of Normandy" (estimated), \$11,000. The cost of giving the entire six weeks of opera is estimated at \$75,000.—Christian Science Monitor.

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VANCOUVER MUSICIAN SIGNALLY HONORED

On Eve of Departure For Detroit Presented With Watch and \$300

Local musical circles will doubtless be interested to learn that Frank Wrigley, the well-known Vancouver organist and conductor of the Men's Musical Club of that city, is leaving the Coast to make his home in Detroit, where he has been appointed organist at one of the largest churches.

In anticipation of his departure, the Club, of which he has been the conductor for the past two years, held a farewell banquet in his honor at the Vancouver Hotel on Wednesday evening. Numerous speeches, all of a laudatory tenor, were made by fellow-musicians, and Mr. Wrigley was presented with a purse containing \$300, the proceeds of a benefit concert held on the previous evening. In addition, he has received from the Club a handsome gold watch, suitably inscribed with the Club motto, "What we did we did well."

Queen Elizabeth, of Belgium, has bestowed a decoration upon a young Russian-American girl pianist, Victoria Boshiko, in recognition of her work for Belgian relief.

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If the weather is to continue fine the leech lies motionless at the bottom of the jar, and rolled together in a spiral form. If it is to rain, either before or after noon, it will be found to have crept up to the top of its lodging, where it will remain till the weather is settled.

If we are to have wind, the poor prisoner gallops through his limpid habitation with amazing swiftness, and seldom rests till it begins to blow hard.

If a remarkable storm of thunder and rain is to succeed, the leech, for

some days before, lodges almost continually without water, and gives itself up to violent throes and convulsive-like motions. In frost, as in clear summer weather, it lies constantly at the bottom, and in snow, as in rainy weather, it pitches its dwelling on the very mouth of the jar.—Tit-Bits.

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A Meeting of the Property Owners of Esquimalt will be held in Rex Theatre, Monday, August 18, 8 p.m.

Public Dance every Saturday evening, Alexandra Ballroom, Managersess, Mrs. Boyd.

Will Give Prizes.—The Increased Production Committee of the City Council yesterday decided to award prizes as usual in connection with the cultivation of vacant lots.

Postpone Council Meeting.—In order that the Mayor and Aldermen may attend the banquet to be given to the National Editorial Convention here on Monday, the regular City Council will be held next week on Tuesday, instead of on Monday as usual.

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NOTICE TO RETURNED SOLDIERS

Dr. E. M. Sutherland, of Salt Spring Island, has been appointed by the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment as Medical Representative, whose duties are to attend to all returned men who require medical attention. This attention being free to men who may be taken ill any time within one year of discharge, whether the cause be from war service or not, and to men who are suffering a recurrence of disability caused by war service, at any time.

WILL SHOW EDITORS**VICTORIA FROM AIR**

Aerial League Arranging to Carrying Visiting Writers Aloft; Mail to Nanaimo

Special rates for flights in the Pathfinder 2 will be offered to the members of the National Editorial Convention by the Aerial League of Canada. Owing to the expense of operation the league finds that it cannot carry the visiting editors, their wives and daughters into the clouds on free trips, but they have reduced the fare considerably. Newspapersmen always wish to view things from all angles and fear is supposed to be an unknown element in their make-up. Consequently it is expected that many of the visiting writers will like to see Victoria and vicinity from a lofty height.

This afternoon at 1 o'clock the Pathfinder, piloted by Capt. Jimmie Gray, hopped off for Nanaimo, carrying a sack of mail, the first mail to be dispatched by the local post office by an aerial route. Hundreds of Victorians took advantage of sending letters "via aeroplane," and Lieut. Cameron, flying as a passenger, had a difficult time wriggling his way into the front cockpit, which was jammed with mail.

After delivering the mail Capt. Gray will take the Pathfinder aloft to give an exhibition in stunting. Passengers may be carried. No smudge fires will have to be lit at the cricket grounds as the pilot has numerous high stacks, pouring forth heavy volumes of smoke, to give him the exact direction of the wind.

On the return trip the Pathfinder will carry mail from the Nanaimo Post Office to Victoria.

Last evening Jack, Clemence flew the Pathfinder over the city a number of times, carrying the Misses L. and M. Kydd, visitors from Portland, and Mr. Rhin, a local resident, as passengers. Many visitors are seeking flights in the plane.

CAPT. FOWLER RETURNS

Medical Officer of 14th Brigade Back After Lengthy War Service.

Capt. J. M. Fowler, C. A. M. C., returned to this city yesterday after an absence of three years and a half. He returned to Canada late in June, but on being discharged in Toronto, spent some time visiting his mother and relatives.

Capt. Fowler left here as medical officer of the 15th Brigade, C. F. A. in May, 1916. He spent the summer at Petawawa Camp, Ont., and went to England in September. On the return of the artillery at Witley in January, 1917, Capt. Fowler was transferred to the 14th Brigade, C. F. A. as M. O. He proceeded to France in August, 1917, and remained with the unit until it returned to England for demobilization late in May of this year.

Capt. Fowler plans to resume his practice in this city.

HOME PRODUCTS FAIR

Committee Struck in Connection With Exhibition Sept. 22-27.

In connection with the Home Products Fair, which will be held in the Hudson's Bay Building during the week of September 22-27, and which promises to be the biggest and best exhibition ever held in Victoria, the following committees have been struck:

Executive committee—Carl Pen-dry, chairman; Mayor Porter, W. H. P. Sweeney, Gordon Jameson, H. S. Stevenson, Alderman Sangster and Alderman Andros.

Finance committee—Alderman Sangster, chairman; Mayor Porter, W. H. P. Sweeney and L. D. Kines. Space and arrangement committee—H. S. Stevenson, chairman; J. C. S. Keith, J. C. Richards, R. V. Hall, Wilfrid Gibson and Alderman E. B. Andros.

Advertising committee—Gordon Jameson, chairman; T. Myers and Victor Clark.

Question Now Settled.—After H. W. Hart had laid the matter before the City Council yesterday, the question of alleged "discrimination" against returned men in the Fire Department is settled. The action taken by the city in connection with the employment of firemen was explained to the delegate of the Great War Veterans' Association, and he departed satisfied. Alderman Sangster declared that the city desired more than ever to give preference to returned soldiers, and had done so when engaging firemen.

COMMITTS SUICIDE IN**HUSBAND'S PRESENCE**

Mrs. Victor Marsh Swallowed Carbolic Acid Last Night; Was Only 22 Years Old

In the midst of a conversation with her husband and mother-in-law just before midnight last night Mrs. Victor Marsh at her residence, 515 Cormorant Street, calmly produced an eight-ounce bottle of carbolic acid and drank the contents. Immediately she was wrapped in the most agonizing pain, and the greatly alarmed husband and mother-in-law were unable to do anything to relieve her.

Medical aid was summoned and Mrs. Marsh was ordered to the St. Joseph's Hospital, where every effort was made to save her life. Shortly after reaching the institution she died.

Mrs. Marsh, who had only resided in the city since February, was suffering from ill-health, and it is thought that she planned to take her life. The object of taking the carbolic acid in the presence of her husband and mother-in-law is not clear.

Mrs. Marsh was only twenty-two years of age. Her husband is employed at one of the local theatres, and her father is a resident of Vancouver.

Dr. Stainer, the coroner, will hold an inquest on Monday morning to investigate the circumstances surrounding the suicide.

Pale-Cheeked Women Told About Restoring A Rosy Complexion

A few years ago the girl with pale, drawn cheeks scarcely knew what to do in order to restore her fading appearance. At that time there was no blood-food medium made that really would put color and strength into systems that were more or less worn out.

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FORESTERS ARRIVE FOR SESSION HERE

Delegates From British Columbia in City Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

Delegates from all parts of British Columbia to the annual convention of the Foresters will assemble in Victoria Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday for the annual convention of Foresters, the business meetings being held in the Foresters' Hall. Some of the delegates arrived in Victoria to-day, and others will arrive to-morrow and Monday.

Monday morning at 9 o'clock, and Mayor Porter will deliver an address of welcome to the visiting delegates. One of the most important items of business before the convention will be a revision of the laws of the order, several changes having been found necessary owing to the war.

Members of the local lodge have arranged to make the visit to Victoria enjoyable and some of the delegates who are now in the city are being shown the beauties of Victoria and the surrounding district. Monday evening the delegates will be entertained at Pantages Theatre. Tuesday afternoon they will be taken to Benvenuto Gardens, Brentwood, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Buchart.

Wednesday evening the delegates will be entertained at the meeting of Court Victoria Lodge and ladies of Court Triumph Lodge will supply refreshments.

LIEUT. ACTON RETURNS

Left Here as Private With No. 5 Hospital and Returned as Pilot in Flying Corps.

Lieut. Leonard Acton, R. A. F., returned to this city yesterday afternoon after a lengthy overseas service. He left here as a private with No. 5 Stationary Hospital and spent considerable time at Salonica.

On securing a commission in the flying corps early in 1917 he was ordered to Egypt to train. On gaining his "wings" in June he was sent to England and was retained there as an instructor on bombing machines. Later he went to Ireland on patrol work and in October, 1918, proceeded to France with a scout squadron and operated along the Scheidt River.

While in London, Lieut. Acton married. Mrs. Acton returned with him.

Fire in Bedroom.—A fire in a bedroom of a house at 2617 Victor Street at half-past five yesterday afternoon required the attention of the Fire Department.

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SAANICH COMMENCES SOLDIERS' HOUSES

Five Allocations Made and Work Will Commence Next Week

Substantial progress was made last evening at the meeting of the Saanich Council with regard to the housing scheme.

Five definite allocations were made to soldiers who already owned lots. Their names are S. Fieldhouse, H. A. Farmer, L. C. Ostler, R. H. Lowry and T. R. Berry. The following six applications from A. Joplin, D. Cobb, J. H. Campbell, A. Jones, A. Watkins and S. Campbell were also approved subject to the locations of lots being accepted by the Council and Major Spurgin, the architect in charge of the scheme.

Four further applications were laid over for investigation. In addition to these definite cases, there are a number of inquiries and there is every expectation that the whole of the allocation for the municipality will have been absorbed by the end of the present year.

It is expected that construction work will have commenced by the end of next week. Those houses which were authorized will entail loans of about \$3,000 each.

Health Centre.—Some discussion took place with regard to the proposed Saanich Memorial Health Centre. It has been decided to conduct a campaign of education throughout the municipality, and the following meetings have already been arranged. Ward One, Cedar Hill Parish Hall, Monday, 8 o'clock; Ward Three, Gordon Head Hall, Tuesday; Ward Two, Tolmie School, Wednesday; meetings in the other wards will be announced later.

Library Situation.—The Council expressed its surprise that the City Commissioners had declined the facilities of the library to Saanich residents, owing to the dispute with regard to the grant in aid, without replying to the letter which was sent some days ago and which they considered would have prevented the present drastic step.

Gordon Head Water Supply.—A petition with 101 signatures for the provision of a water supply to Gordon Head and Cadboro Bay along the coast was explained in The Times on Monday was received and referred.

School Announcement**ENROLMENT DATES FOR THE FALL TERM**

Students for the Autumn Term of day and evening classes are now being enrolled. The enrolment dates are as follows:

DAY SCHOOL August 18-25

" " Sept. 2-15

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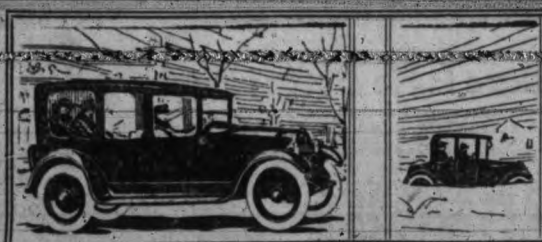
Be sure and attend the AUTO RACES, Saturday, August 16th, at the Willows.

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AUTOMOBILES



BIG ATTENDANCE AT AUTO RACES

Event Staged by Local
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Success

Victoria's biggest automobile race meet began at the Willows at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon with the greatest race fiasco on the Pacific Coast participating. The attendance was large and enthusiastic and the weather conditions were ideal for such an event.

Scores of automobiles were parked inside the gates. Never before in the history of Victoria have so many motoring enthusiasts been gathered together, and a noticeable feature was the large number of cars from outside points, including many visitors from the United States, and a large number of people from up-island points.

The Nanaimo Automobile Association took deep interest in the race meet and the energy of its members had a great deal to do with the large

number of visitors from that district as well as from points North of Nanaimo.

Many Visitors.

Special rates were granted by the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company and large numbers of up-island people availed themselves of the reduced fares to visit the race meet. Return tickets are good until Monday and as a result of this Victoria will have a large number of visitors over the week-end.

The Victoria Automobile Dealers' Association, under whose auspices the race meet is being promoted has worked indefatigably to make it the biggest affair of its kind ever held in the Pacific Northwest.

Race followers who have attended similar events in recent years say that it by far the best line-up of racing cars and drivers ever assembled and the enthusiasm of the large crowd who attended 1-day's races bore out the contention that the meet was one of particularly high merit.

R. J. Jameson, of the firm of Jameson, Rolfe & Willis, is president of the local dealers' association. C. H. Willis, of the same firm, was the chairman of the executive committee, which also included Thomas Plimley and Walter Bevercomb.

The Finance Committee was composed of George Lillie, R. A. Playfair and A. McGavin. Public Safety Committee, Chris McRae, Ernie Eve and Rube McMorran. Amateur Events Committee, J. Rennie, Gus Masters and Tergeson Brothers.

Race Officials.

The following are the race officials who have been elected by the local automobile dealers:

Referee—E. J. Cameron, General Starter—Harry Whitney Treat. Judges—J. A. Rithet, J. Chas. McIntosh, M. P. Arthur Coles. Scorers—Mr. Fennel, J. G. Patterson, Ray Meldrum, Ben Grossman, James Woods.

Timers—W. H. Wilkerson, Frank Sweeney, Lester Patrick.

Local Racers.

Louis Nelson, foreman for R. Vercomb Motor Company, entered most of the professional events to-day, and was a great favorite with the local fans. Local race fans kept their eyes on Louis from the time he entered the course.

For the seventh and last event, which was for local drivers only, there were six entries, as follows: Wallace Tergeson, in a Chalmers car; S. D. Fetherston, in a Franklin; Leo Sweeney, in a McLaughlin; J. A. Cartier, in a Winton Six; W. J. Rennie, in a Ford; R. Graham, in a 90-horsepower Buick.

The parade of auto racers this morning created a great deal of interest as the drivers in their strange looking cars passed through the principal city streets.

CLEAN RIMS OFTEN

Wheels Kept Free From Rust by Semi-Annual Bath.

It is a good idea to keep the rims of the tires as free as possible from all rust because rust will affect the tube. To do this, it is only necessary once in about every six months to remove the tires and tubes and to clean the rims with a wire brush. After that has been done, it is a good plan to coat the rims with graphite. Of course, this means considerable work. However, it is bound to help to prolong the life of the tire.

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"In addition to the two 3½-ton Packard trucks which we have recently sold to Mackay & Gillespie, local coal dealers, we have just sold them another two-ton Packard," announces Thomas Plimley, local distributor for Packard trucks and passenger cars. "Packards are selling well," continued Mr. Plimley. "We have just sold two trucks to Simon Leiser & Company, and we have also just delivered a 3½-ton Packard to the Victoria Fuel Company. The demand for Packards is so great that we have the greatest difficulty in securing enough machines to make delivery."

CROSSES COUNTRY IN NASH MACHINE

Owner Greatly Pleased With
Performance After Hard
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The Shell Garage, local Nash distributors have just received word of a splendid performance test through which a Nash car emerged with high honors and a pleased owner.

"Crossing the country during a rainy period in a drive from Rockford, Ill., to California, D. P. Cutler emerged from the sea of mud an ardent advocate of good roads and an enthusiastic admirer of his Nash Six which carried him and his family through with only one step on the road—a stop to change a spark plug. "More could not be asked of any car than has been delivered by this," said Mr. Cutler in a letter, "and if our return to Rockford is nearly as smooth as the trip out we will take off our hats to the Nash Six. "Our car has done everything we have asked of it and a little bit more." Out here in California our engine purrs along over the roads and fairly eats up their steep grades. "It is wonderful experience to be able to cross the country from Illinois in twelve days—a trip that took pioneers six months or more. We have looked the country over from the top of Pike's Peak, driving our Nash to the top—an altitude of 14,199 feet. We have looked down into the canyon of the Colorado, a sheer

drop of over 6,000 feet.

"In fact the only time our Nash hesitated was when we shoved its nose up to look down this awful depth. Through sunshine and rain, over good roads and bad, through conditions that at times were appalling we have at last arrived in the land of eternal sunshine—the motorist's Paradise.

"We did not reach the celebrated asphalt roads of California until within thirty miles of San Bernardino, where at Cajon Pass we drove up, over and through the mountains on asphalt roads with easy grades that can be negotiated on high."

"To say we are enjoying our trip is putting it mildly. But after all is said and done it is road conditions that determine the staying qualities of a car."

CARS WITHOUT DRIVERS

Island Auto Livery Has Built Up Thriving Business.

The Island Auto Livery, Johnson Street, is catering to those who do not care to invest in an automobile or are not in a position to buy one, yet feel that they would like to enjoy the pleasures of having an outing in an automobile with the independent feeling of operating it themselves.

Kolterman Bros. are the proprietors and they have built up a thriving business renting out cars without drivers. Having had considerable experience in the handling of cars, they are in a position to keep their rent cars in a high state of efficiency and, as they state themselves, "They are in the business to please the people."

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ADD TO COMFORT

Latest Shock Absorber Sold Here By National Motor Company

The National Motor Company, Yates Street, local Ford distributors, have been appointed sole agents here for the "Float-a-Ford," a contrivance which the agents say means exactly what it says.

Equipped with these new shock absorbers a Ford will float along like a boat riding the swells of the ocean. In speaking of one of these contrivances, a local user said: "Float-a-Ford is not only a shock absorber, but a rebound and side thrust absorber. It far exceeds other devices because it has reached perfection in principle. One ride on Float-a-Fords and you will agree with my impression of the appliance. "Everyone admits that the Ford leads all others in economy, utility and sturdiness. To these virtues Float-a-Fords have added the element of luxury, ease of riding, such as you may enjoy in heavy, expensive automobiles."

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R. J. JAMESON

Who was unanimously elected chief of the Victoria Automobile Dealers' Association, under whose auspices to-day's race meet is being held at the Willows.

VANCOUVER HELPS

MOTURING TOURISTS

Will Co-operate With Victoria in Keeping Autoists Interested

Special efforts are being made by the Industrial Commissioner, J. R. Davison, at Vancouver, to provide conveniences for touring motorists reaching British Columbia from various points in the United States. Mr. Davison writes W. A. McAdam, local publicity commissioner, that an information booth has been opened on Hastings Street opposite the Post

Office for the purpose of serving tourists more effectively.

"We are having a great many cars from Washington, Oregon and California who come up here from Blaine," writes Mr. Davison. "We are trying to give them all the information possible so that we can keep them in British Columbia just as long as we can."

"If you would be good enough to send us a good supply of the logs of the roads of Vancouver Island and all other information you may have on hand, we will try to send as many people as we can over to Victoria and the Island points."

Vancouver's publicity grant was appropriated a week or two ago, and Mr. Davison proposes to co-operate with Victoria in retaining tourists in this province as long as possible.

HALF THE CARS IN

CANADA ARE FORDS

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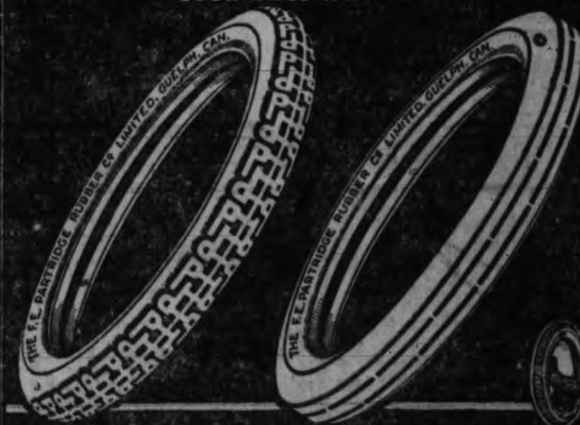
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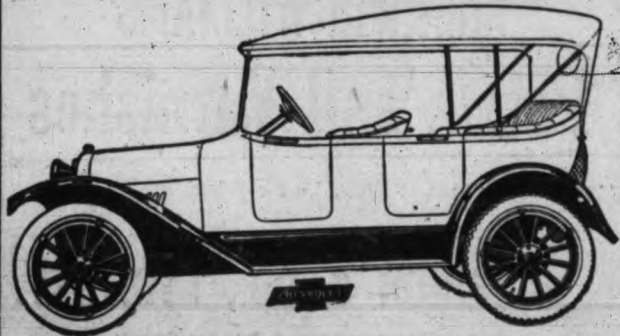
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The large mercantile and business houses with big fleets of cars were the first to recognize the saving the Gates Half-Sole Tires made possible, "but they were closely followed by business men in the larger cities, and within the past year more than 500,000 motorists have grasped this opportunity to CUT THEIR TIRE EXPENSE IN HALF."

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DRIVERLESS AUTOS PROVING POPULAR

Victoria Auto Livery Forced to Add Three More Cars to Equipment

"It's simply wonderful the way the people have caught onto the 'Drive Yourself Auto Livery Business,'" said J. C. Macdonald, proprietor of the Victoria Auto Livery, the other day. The best instance I can give you to illustrate my point is the fact that though we have had a dozen cars 'on the rent' here steadily for weeks past we have been unable to meet the demand for hired cars without drivers and we have been obliged to order three new cars."

Mr. Macdonald explained that the cars which are en route to the city to be added to his auto livery are Dodges. These types and Chevrolets predominate in his "fleet."

DEALER EXPLAINS WAY TO CLEAN CAR

Jack Cartier Says Care Must Be Exercised in Operation

"The body of an automobile should be cleaned with castile soap and water," advised Jack Cartier, used car dealer of Johnson Street, who also specializes in auto painting, top and side curtains.

"Mud should not be rubbed off, but rather should be washed off by flowing a gentle stream of water over the spot. This floats the mud off without injury to the polished surface. If mud is permitted to remain on a new body until it dries hard it almost always leaves a spot, consequently removal should be immediate."

"If spots of road oil get on the body they should be removed by an application of salt butter, which loosens the oil, or by local application of kerosene. Be careful not to rub them too much. The top should not be cleaned with gasoline or similar liquids. Soap and water should be used inside and out. For the upholstery a little linseed oil on a piece of cloth rubbed over it will work wonders."

TOURISTS ADVISED TO STUDY RULES

Many Difficulties on Road Will Be Saved Thereby

The season for automobile tours is now in full swing and never before in the history of Vancouver Island have so many auto tourists enlivened the highways in such numbers.

Local automobile enthusiasts are likewise taking tours abroad and automobile owners will save themselves time, trouble, embarrassment and money by studying the motor vehicle regulations of the states and cities they intend to visit, for until the state, provincial and municipal ordinances regulating the operation of automobiles are standardized, there is bound to be a great deal of annoying confusion and many arrests that are unwarranted.

In some states, for instance, headlights must be fitted with anti-glare lenses, while in others lamps need only be dimmed. A certain speed that is within the law in one place is illegal in another. There are almost as many parking rules and other regulations as there are cities and towns to pass them.

To be on the safe side, the motorist should know the law wherever he may be and be careful to observe it to the letter. Details of the automobile regulations should be obtained

and the use of a postage stamp may eliminate the payment of a fine and costs along the route of the summer tour.

AUTO PROVES STRONG RAILWAY COMPETITOR

Total Carrying Capacity Exceeds That of Locomotives

Figures show that there are 6,000,000 automobiles in use in the United States to-day. This indicates that at an average mileage of 5,000, which is low, the total mileage equals 30,000,000,000 miles per annum, which, multiplied by an average of three passengers, means that the total passenger mileage is 90,000,000,000 miles.

Passenger mileage of automobiles exceeds that of the railroads by over 20,000,000,000 miles because the latest available figures show that the official railroad passenger mileage was 32,384,547,563. Automobiles on a basis of 300 days of use and an average of only two passengers, carried 3,600,000,000 persons, compared with the railroads' total of 976,303,602.

The seating capacity of the 6,000,000 automobiles in use in the United States is estimated at not less than 30,000,000 people. The total seating capacity of railroad cars, of which there are 57,705, is about 3,500,000 people. To carry the people now carried by automobiles would require 60,000 new passenger coaches and 14,972 new locomotives at a combined cost of \$1,184,000,000, to say nothing of passenger tracks, depots and employees at an expense impossible to calculate.

These stupendous figures are almost beyond human conception, but they give some idea of the vast ramifications of the automobile industry and the tremendous extent to which the automobile has entered into the world's transportation.

WHAT EVERGREEN HIGHWAY MEANS TO TOURIST TRAVEL

By C. A. Collins, (Field Secretary Evergreen National Highway Association.)

With Continental Europe bidding for the American tourist dollars to assist in its problems of rehabilitation, the time has arrived when the Great West, as a unit, must step forward and exhibit its wares in competition if we ever hope to establish our claims as "Playgrounds." It is estimated that, before the war, America's tourists spent \$250,000,000 annually abroad! Is it any wonder that Europe is starting a gigantic propaganda campaign designed to restore an income of such proportions? Now that the tide of American dollars has been temporarily stayed from its flow toward the shores of Europe, are we going to sit quietly by and watch it surge back again, unchecked?

The United States Department of the Interior, (which has charge of all the National Parks), the various highway associations and other interested public bodies, are unanimous in their opinion that every effort should be made at this time to educate American tourists to "See America First," to make the wonder spots and scenic points of interest in our own country so well known and easily accessible that our travellers will be diverted from Europe, to the financial advantage of our own resorts and cities. Keep these dollars at home. Educate our people to the fact that the great West affords ample opportunity for education and enjoyment.

An effort is being made now to link the National Parks of America together with a system of routes all working with this one big purpose. Most of these monuments lie in the Great Northwest. The scenic beauty of this country is the bait that is to be used to entice the traveller to come and spend his money. Every new avenue of travel, every dollar spent in improving the present highway system leading to the points of interest in this country, is another step toward opening the door for this travel. California is already getting a tourist income which amounts to approximately \$1,000,000 per day during the tourist season; a result secured by constant publicity, good roads and an effort to cater to the wants and pleasures of the tourist, when he arrives.

The Evergreen Highway movement is designed to accomplish these things. The trail has been marked with distinctive Evergreen signs from the Utah state line all the way through Idaho and eastern Washington and up the Pacific Highway as far as the lower end of Puget Sound and the signs on Vancouver Island and from Vancouver City to the International Border will be in place within a few days. This means the opening up of a new tourist artery leading into the Northwest by a route not generally travelled on account of lack of signs and information but one which is replete with interesting sights throughout. The movement goes farther than that and seeks to interest the various committees along the route to meet the traveller when he arrives and provide complete information regarding the points of interest to be seen and how to reach them. A stream of auto travel entering a city at one door and out another is of little financial advantage. It is only the man who stops who spends money and who sees the particular advantages offered by that city. Some effort must be made to put our goods on the counter where the customer may see them. Adequate signs setting forth the various side-trips and pleasure resorts available in each

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VULCANIZING PLANT IS KEPT VERY BUSY

Central Vulcanizing Station Is Run by Fisher & Lynn

Two young men who are making their mark in the automobile world in Victoria are George Fisher and Allan Lynn, proprietors of the Central Vulcanizing Station at the corner of Douglas and Broughton Streets near the Strathcona Hotel.

When The Times man dropped in the other day he discerned young Lynn covered with rubber dust engaged in shaving and truing a tire carcass at a lathe. Over in another corner Fisher was busy pricking bubbles in a rubber layer that had just been put on and running over it with a tracing wheel like a man in a tailor's shop.

"How's business," was the question asked, when their attention was attracted. Work was stopped long enough to explain that business was fine and could not be better. "We have to work at nights very often, but we don't mind doing that when emerged licensed drivers."

it comes to pleasing a patron who is anxious to have his tires ready by a certain time in order to enable him to get out on his vacation, for some other reason," explained Mr. Fisher.

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VICTORIA THE NORTHWEST THE WORLD

SEATTLE GOLFERS WILL INVADE
CITY WITH TWENTY MENPlayers of Municipal Links in the Sound City Will
Visit Victoria, Shaughnessy and Burnaby Courses

For the second time this year, Victoria golfers are to entertain a party of players from Seattle. Twenty of the best players from the Sound City are journeying to British Columbia to play games in Victoria and Vancouver, and will take part in competitions on the Oak Bay links, Saturday, August 30. After leaving Victoria they will play in Vancouver Sunday and Monday, visiting the Burnaby links Sunday, and the Shaughnessy links Monday.

The competition will probably be run on similar lines to that staged with the Seattle players in April, when about twenty players from the Seattle Golf Club invaded Victoria. On that occasion the Wilson Cup was up for competition and the local players won by thirty-four points. There was some close and exciting games in the competition, and the members of the Victoria Golf Club made a splendid showing against the stars of the U. S. city.

Northwest Champion.

The twenty players who are to make the trip August 30, are members of a different club, the Jefferson Park Club, the home of the Municipal Golf links in the Sound city, and their presence in Victoria will be welcomed by some of the enthusiastic supporters of a municipal golf course in Victoria. There are a number of good players in their ranks including the star quartette of the Pacific Northwest, who carried off the Harry Davis Cup, Clare Griswold, who recently won the Northwest championship will also be one of the party. Bob Spears and Bob Stein, well known names in Northwest golf, are also among the party.

Competition Revived.

British Columbia championships and all the competitions which were in full swing until the golf club ranks were depleted by their wonderful contribution of men to the struggle in France are to be revived. Definite dates have not yet been set for the competitions, but the B. C. championship events will probably be staged in the fall, the links at present being too hard for the championship battles.

A Return Visit.

A return trip to Seattle will be paid by Victoria golfers next month. On that occasion the Victoria men will play on the links of the Seattle Club, which sent a party to Victoria in April.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 16.—After a lapse of three years, in which many of them

LOOKING THINGS OVER

Fighter, Cripple as a Boy.

Billy Miske, the St. Paul heavyweight, will be idle for some time, as he is confined to his bed under treatment for hip and spine trouble. As a boy Miske was a cripple, but gradually overcame the affliction by work in a gymnasium. His physicians say that he will again be in shape to fight in a few weeks, but for the present he is strapped to a board and must subsist on a milk diet. Incidentally, Miske brands as a bald face a story recently circulated to the effect that he could not be induced to again face Jack Dempsey in the ring. He avers that he doesn't stand in awe of the new champion's terrific punch and hopes to obtain another match with Jack as soon as he is able to fight again.

Attell in Movies.

Abe Attell, former featherweight champion, is the latest boxer to enter the moving picture game. He has accepted a position in Los Angeles with the Fox Film Company and is said to be playing the part of a "hard boiled" denizen of the underworld in a picture now in the making.

According to word received from the South, Attell is quite some pumpkin as an actor and that he will, with experience, develop into a high-class performer.

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Salt Lake	3 12 2	
Los Angeles	5 10 0	
Batteries—Dale and Spencer; Brown and Basler.		
At Portland	R. H. E.	
Oakland	6 11 2	
Portland	0 3 2	
Batteries—Falkenberg and Elliott; Schroeder, Daily and Baker.		
At Seattle	R. H. E.	
Vernon	5 11 1	
Seattle	3 5 3	
Batteries—Finerman and Brooks; Reiger and Lapan.		

American League.

At Cleveland	R. H. E.
Washington	3 6 1
Cleveland	2 6 3
Batteries—Show, Johnson and Pichich, Agnew; Myers, Coveleski and O'Neill.	
At Detroit	R. H. E.
New York	0 6 2
Detroit	7 13 2
Batteries—Shawkey, Smallwood and Ruel; Rause and Ainsmith.	
At Chicago	R. H. E.
Boston	5 11 1
Chicago	6 12 2
Batteries—Hopt, Jones and Schang; Williams, Kerr, Cicotte and Schalk.	
At St. Louis	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	3 8 5
St. Louis	5 17 1
Batteries—Johnson and Perkins; McAvoy; Leifeld and Severide.	

National League.

At New York	R. H. E.
Cincinnati	4 11 2
New York	3 6 1
Batteries—Eller and Wingo; Barnes, Dubuc and Gonzales; Snyder.	
At Cincinnati	R. H. E.
New York	0 6 1
Batteries—Fisher and Rariden; Benton, Dubuc and Snyder.	
At Boston	R. H. E.
Pittsburg	3 7 1
Boston	5 7 1
Batteries—Adams and Blackwell; Cawley and Gandy.	
Second game	R. H. E.
Pittsburg	2 9 1
Boston	3 16 1
Batteries—Carson and Lee; Philpott and Wilson; Gowdy.	
At Philadelphia	R. H. E.
St. Louis	7 12 1
Philadelphia	2 4 3
Batteries—Gooden, Woodward and Clemens; Murray, Hogg and Adams.	
Second game	R. H. E.
St. Louis	2 5 2
Philadelphia	5 7 1
Batteries—Woodward, Turo, Jacobs and Clemens; Meadows and Transgressor.	
At Brooklyn	R. H. E.
Chicago	3 5 1
Brooklyn	3 9 0
Batteries—Martin, Carter and Kilgiff; Grimes and Miller.	

American Association.

Indianapolis 1, St. Paul 9.	
Tulsa 2, Kansas City 5.	
Columbus 10, Minneapolis 4.	
Louisville-Milwaukee game postponed; wet grounds.	

International League.

Rochester 4, Reading 5.	
Baltimore 7, Binghamton 2.	
First game, Buffalo 1, Newark 2.	
Second game, Buffalo 5, Newark 1.	
First game, Toronto 3, Jersey City 1.	
Second game, Toronto 1, Jersey City 0.	

Western Canada League.

First game, Winnipeg 2, Regina 0.	
Second game, Winnipeg 4, Regina 5.	
Saskatoon 9, Moose Jaw 10.	

CANADIAN RECORD.

Montreal, Aug. 16.—A Canadian record of 23 minutes and 32.5 seconds for the 1 1/2 mile swim was made by George Vernet, of the Montreal Swimming Club, in defeating Lee Gelbel, of the New York Athletic Club, United States long-distance champion, in the annual championships here.

Local sportsmen, at a meeting

held at the City Hall last night, unanimously decided to follow the lead of Vancouver, Kamloops and other cities in the province and form a game and fish association, the exact name of the new body to be decided upon at a meeting to be held later.

D. E. Whittaker, who is the father of the movement and was elected president, explained that the main objects of the association would be to secure adequate protection for the game and fish and also to discuss and adopt recommendations to the Government regarding the same. It was due to the fact that Victoria had not any such game association that the arrangement was made. Whittaker explained to the meeting the recommendations made by the recent deputation to the Government, and announced that the Government had arranged for a meeting with the game board for next Tuesday at the Parliament Buildings at 7:30 p.m. This will be an open meeting, which any sportsmen interested may attend.

F. B. Pemberton moved and B. P. Schwenger seconded the motion that a game association be formed and that the name of the association be left to a future meeting. This was carried unanimously, and the following officers were duly elected: President, D. E. Whittaker; vice-president, Mayor Porter; secretary, treasurer, W. F. C. Pope; directors, E. Todd, F. Kermode, R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., R. G. Thomas and J. Musgrave.

It was decided to leave the formation of committees and other necessary organization business to the next meeting, which will be held at a date in the near future.

CALGARY CRICKETERS
ARE IN TOURNAMENT

Will Take Place of Vancouver Military Who Have Dropped Out

President Percy Payne, of the Victoria and District Cricket League, has received a wire that the Calgary eleven will be in Victoria for the cricket tournament which commences Monday. The Vancouver Military have found it impossible to send a team, several of the soldiers playing with the Vancouver Oils.

The Calgary eleven will take over the games of the schedule which were to have been played by the mainline soldiers.

Considerable interest is being aroused in the tournament and the promoters are expecting good crowds of spectators. Games are played each day on the Jubilee, Beacon Hill, Work Point and University School grounds, a collection being taken at the games for the ground improvement fund.

WALLACES IN VANCOUVER
BASEBALL TITLE RACE

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—Wallace's are one up in the Commercial Baseball League playoff series for the 1919 championship. Last night at Athletic Park Wallace's and Centrals battled into darkness, the North Shore men winning 8-6. This is the first game to count, as last Monday's disputed game was thrown out at a league meeting before last evening's game.

DURACK WINNING.

Misses Panny Durack and Wilhelmina Wylie, Australian swimming stars, who refused to enter competitive events yesterday won two of the five events for women at Chicago.

Miss Wylie won the 100-yard breast stroke swim from Miss Helen Thompson, of the Milwaukee A. C., by the narrow margin of two feet. Miss Durack won the 450-yard free style by fifty feet from Miss Thelma Darby, of Indianapolis, after the latter had pushed her for 300 yards.

GRAVATH AGAIN
TOPS AVERAGESDisplaces Indian Outfielder
Who Dethroned Him in
JulyTHREE HUNDRED HITTERS
DOWN TO THIRTEEN

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Jim Thorpe, Indian outfielder of the Boston Braves, has relinquished the batting leadership of the National League, according to averages released to-day and which include games of last Wednesday. He has dropped to second place with an average of .348. Gavy Cravath, Philadelphia, former league leader, who was dethroned early in July by the Indian, has again advanced to the head of the list with a mark of .351. The number of 300 hitters is gradually dwindling, the list being cut to thirteen.

Benny Kauff, New York, and Cravath, are sharing home-run honors with nine circuits apiece for each.

Z. Wheat, Brooklyn, has taken the lead in total bases from Kauff. He has 169 total bases.

Cutshaw, Pittsburg, continued to show the way to the base-stealers with twenty-nine thefts.

Other leading hitters in the National League, who participated in forty or more games are:

McHenry, St. Louis	.350
Rousch, Cincinnati	.323
Z. Wheat, Brooklyn	.318
Hornaby, St. Louis	.310
Myers, Brooklyn	.308
Doyle, New York	.306
Barber, Pittsburg	.303
Stock, St. Louis	.302
Holke, Boston	.300
Clemens, St. Louis	.300

Ty Cobb, Detroit's star, increased his lead among the American League hitters during the past week and is now fourteen points in front of the runners-up—Veach, a teammate, and Sisler, of St. Louis, who are tied for second place with .271.

Sisler has reached the 200-mark in total bases and is also out in front among the base-stealers with twenty-four pilfered sacks to his credit.

Ruth, Boston, seems unable to increase his home-run total which remains at sixteen.

Other leading hitters in the American League for forty or more games:

Peckinpaugh, New York	.340
Jacobson, St. Louis	.338
Jackson, Chicago	.331
Rice, Washington	.323
Helms, Detroit	.323
Flagstad, Detroit	.322
Fewster, New York	.322
Ruth, Boston	.311
Chapman, Cleveland	.311

QUALICUM ELEVEN
BEATS PARKSVILLEWith 182 Runs on the Board
Hospital Team Obtains
Easy Victory

In an enjoyable game of cricket played at Qualicum Thursday, the hospital eleven secured an easy victory over Parksville by 137 runs. Batting first, the Qualicum cricketers compiled 182 runs, and then dismissed their opponents for 45 runs. The score was as follows:

Gnr. Decoutin, b Part	6
Cpl. Dunn, c and b Howe	5
Sergt. Gemmel, b Howe	1
Capt. Say, not out	101
Lieut. Fisher, b Howe	22
Sergt. Bowley-Turner, b Howe	2
Pte. Ellison, stumped	4
Lieut. Phillips, c Trill b Pettigrew	0
Cpl. Bridges, c Pettigrew b Trill	0
Pte. Barnes, c Hitchcock b Pettigrew	0
Sergt. Fisher, not out	12
Extras	13
Total	182

League Baseball

Pacific Coast League.		
Los Angeles	Won. Lost. Pct.	
Verdon	15 11 .575	
Salt Lake	16 12 .569	
San Francisco	14 11 .561	
Oakland	16 17 .486	
Portland	12 19 .388	
Seattle	14 17 .447	

American League.

Chicago	Won. Lost. Pct.
Detroit	20 13 .606
Cleveland	17 13 .565
St. Louis	14 15 .483
New York	13 15 .464
Boston	14 16 .464
Washington	11 16 .407
Philadelphia	17 21 .447

National League.

Cincinnati	Won. Lost. Pct.
New York	20 13 .606
Chicago	14 15 .483
Brooklyn	14 15 .483
Pittsburg	17 21 .447
Boston	14 16 .464
Philadelphia	17 21 .447
St. Louis	16 20 .444

NEEDS SOME CRICKETERS

T. H. Mayne, hon. secretary of the Congregational Cricket Club, will be pleased to get in touch with cricketers who are not playing for any other team in the tournament which starts Monday. Mr. Mayne needs a few more players to strengthen up the eleven.

MORE COMPETITION
IN SOCCER GAMEEvery League in B.C. in Play
Off to Enter Dominion Tilt
Next Season

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—Owen Lennon, secretary of the West Kootenay Football League, who is in Vancouver, has practically completed arrangements to have his league affiliate with the new British Columbia Football Association, and through it with the Dominion Football Association. Mr. Lennon had had a conference with Con Jones, president of the Mainland Football Association, whose recent trip east resulted in this Province being linked up with the rest of Canada in a soccer way. Messrs. Lennon and Jones talked over the situation and it was virtually agreed that next year the champions of the West Kootenay League will play in the provincial finals here, if they so desire. It is, in fact, proposed to have every league in British Columbia, including the Okanagan, Fraser Valley and the northern and central parts of the Province, as well as Vancouver Island, the new B. C. F. A. and their champions participate in a big series in Vancouver for the provincial title, the winner to play for the Connaught Cup and the Dominion championship.

GRAND TRUNKS LEAD
FOR SOCCER TITLESecond Game For the Dominion Championship
To-day

Montreal, Aug. 15.—The Connaught Cup series will be brought to a termination Saturday afternoon when the second game of the two-game series for the Dominion championship will be played on the grounds of the M. A. B. Grand Trunks and Great War Veterans, of Winnipeg. Starting out, Grand Trunks will be the favorites, owing to their lead of one goal secured in the first game in the game at the National grounds on Thursday night.

There will be no change made in the line-up of either team, which is an assurance of another interesting contest. Although the Grand Trunks won the game on Thursday and have a goal advantage, they have a hard road to cover between them and the championship.

WITH TRAPSHOOTERS

Chicago, Aug. 16.—G. W. Lorimer, of Troy, Ohio, won the Grand American Trap-Shooting Handicap yesterday after a triple tie, in which Lorimer, W. E. Gordon, of Mobile, Alabama, and Ed Hellyer, of Alexander, Penn., each scored ninety-eight. It was Lorimer's first appearance in the Grand American, in which 798 shooters contested.

In the shoot-off for the trophy, Lorimer won with eighteen breaks out of twenty targets, missing his eleventh and thirteenth. Gordon was second with seventeen, and Hellyer third with sixteen targets.

In addition to appearing in the classic event of trapshooting for his initial time, Lorimer used a new gun. He shot from eighteen yards, while Gordon fired from nineteen yards and Hellyer from twenty-one yards. The total prize money amounted to \$17,165.

Stephen Hoynes, of Salina, Kas., former state champion of Kansas, who was an early favorite to win, was the only contestant to break sixty targets straight. He broke sixty-four, then missed three straight.

There was a tie for fourth place between Mark Arie, of Thomasboro, champion of Illinois, and A. J. Moore, of Decatur, Ills.

Moore beat Arie in the shoot-off, nineteen to eighteen. Sixteen shooters scored ninety-six and thirty-one scored ninety-five.

Mrs. T. A. Randall, of Lima, Ohio, won the women's prize with eighty-seven.

The Columbus trophy for high straight.

average was won by Frank M. Troeh, of Vancouver, Wash.

FAMOUS COACH TO
STAND TRIAL AGAIN

A "K. O." IN THE FOURTH.

Evansville, Ind., Aug. 15.—Leo Witt, a St. Louis lightweight, knocked out Battling McCarthy, of Brooklyn, N. Y., in the fourth of a ten-round bout. Witt, of Pittsburg, was disqualified in the sixth round of the preliminary bout, and Jack Roberts, of St. Louis, champion of the 8th Division, was given the decision. Bill Cole, of Winnipeg, knocked out Al Montrey, of Milwaukee, in the final round of an eight-round affair.

NANAIMO SOCCER.

A meeting of the clubs in the Up-Island Football League will be held in the Western League Club, Vancouver, to-night to draft the schedule for the season.

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IMPRESSIVE SERVICE IN CATHOLIC CHAPEL

Archbishop of Vancouver Receives Two Ladies Into Religious Order

One of the most impressive services in the Catholic Church, the taking of the religious habit, took place in the private chapel of the convent of the Sisters of the Instruction, North Vancouver, on Saturday last. His Grace, the Archbishop of Vancouver, officiated at the ceremony, assisted by Very Rev. J. Welch, Oblate provincial, and Rev. Fathers Plamondon, O.M.I., Brabender, O.M.I., and DeLestre.

The beautiful hymns of the reception were sung in French, while the Archbishop, in putting the questions to the candidates also spoke in French. The ladies were Miss Dauphin of Fraser Mills, and Miss Lejeune of Marjellin, Sask. The former took the name, in religion, of Sister Mary Magdalene, and the latter that of Sister Mary of the Blessed Trinity. The ceremony took place following the annual Retreat of the Order, among those taking part being Sisters of the Order from Stuart Lake, William's Lake, Cariboo, Fraser Mills, and Sechart.

The Retreat was preached by Rev.

Dr. Lardon, O.M.I., the sermons being delivered in French. A second Retreat, in English, will be preached on August 21, at Sechart, when all the Sisters of the various provincial houses will assist. Dr. Lardon will be in charge.

BACK FROM FRANCE



COL. A. W. R. WILBY

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CHURCH TO RAISE DEVELOPMENT FUND

Protestant Episcopal Denomination in Campaign For \$20,000,000

Seattle, Aug. 15.—In preparation for the forthcoming campaign of the Protestant Episcopal church in America, the chairman of the committee that will have charge of the direction of the campaign for the diocese of Olympia, and the mission district of Spokane, are announced. E. G. Anderson, of Seattle, was named by Rt. Rev. Frederic William Keator, D.D., bishop of Olympia, as chairman of the committee for the diocese of Olympia, and W. H. R. Smith, of Spokane, was appointed chairman of the committee for the mission district of Spokane, by Rt. Rev. Herman Page, D.D., missionary bishop.

The forthcoming Episcopal campaign will follow in its outlines almost the same programme that the Methodist Episcopal church used in its recent centenary campaign in the United States for \$100,000,000. This amount was oversubscribed by 4,000,000.

Campaign Nation-Wide.

The campaign of the Protestant Episcopal church is nation-wide and for the purposes of the campaign the country has been divided into four areas, Washington being in the Western area. Other states included in that area are California, Oregon, Nevada, Arizona, Idaho and Utah. Although the Episcopal church seeks to raise as a result of the present campaign the sum of \$20,000,000 for church development work, national leaders in the movement emphasize the fact that the drive has for its objective principally the strengthening of church work and the stimulation of church activity, to better prepare Christian peoples for the great tasks of world reconstruction that have resulted from the European war.

Headquarters in New York.

The national campaign is being directed from the headquarters in New York, with Dr. H. W. Patton, noted as organizer of successful campaigns, as director general.

There are thirteen dioceses and missionary districts in the Western area. In general the purpose of the Episcopal campaign have been summed up as follows by Director General Patton: "In consultation with the proper authorities, to care for the financial needs of all the provinces, dioceses and missionary districts of a missionary, religious, educational or social service nature. To bring the spiritual power of the church to bear upon the church's whole task. To secure and train an increased number of people, clerical and lay, for Christian leadership. To care for on a yearly basis for three years, the financial needs of all the general

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boards, viz: The board of missions, the general board of religious education, the social service commission, together with such general agencies as the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Church Temperance Society, Seamen's Church Institute, Church Periodical Club, Girls' Friendly Society, Daughters of the King.

The Episcopal campaign will culminate in November in the "every member" canvass, in which it is expected that the full membership of the church will be dedicated, both by gifts and intercession, to the programme of the church.

SPLENDID TRIBUTE TO LATE PRESIDENT

Rev. A. N. Miller Had Been Force in British Columbia Conference

In the Christian Guardian Rev. A. E. Roberts, past president of the British Columbia Methodist Conference, pays tribute to the late Rev. N. Miller, of Vancouver. Mr. Roberts says in part:

"It is not possible at this early writing to speak with calmness and judgment about the life and worth of the deceased brother. The ministers of Vancouver, with whom he has been closely associated for the past seven years, rejoice that Bro. Miller was given the highest honor in the gift of the Conference, as they feel it was a fitting crown to a life of such steady faithfulness in the pastorate, and to the unfailing kindness and sympathy of the life that is gone."

"Bro. Miller has given thirty-four years of faithful service to the Methodist church in British Columbia, coming out in 1885 at the request of the late Rev. Dr. Sutherland to undertake missionary work. He was sent to Port Simpson to be a missionary teacher under the late Dr. C. Miller, and for three years did good work in this capacity. Then he was stationed at Skidegate as a missionary, and before going to the new field was united in marriage to Miss H. Rhinhardt, who has since been his faithful companion and co-worker in the gospel. After three years at Skidegate, Mr. Miller came into the home mission work at British Columbia, and was pastor at Langley, Mission, Ebner, Ladner, Enderby, James Bay (Victoria), Grace Church (Vancouver), and Ferris Road (Vancouver), in which church he was just entering the fourth year of his pastorate."

"On every circuit Bro. Miller was beloved by all and had the record of staying the full term at every pastorate. Simplicity of faith, ever-ready sympathy and capacity for hard work were ruling characteristics of his life, and he was beloved by all who knew him."

"For the first time in the history of the British Columbia Conference a president has passed away during his term of office. Just at a time when his leadership seemed so badly needed for the great work of the Forward Movement, a work which Bro. Miller was facing with his usual force and directness, the leader is taken. But it is still true, that while the workman is buried, God carries on the work. The spirit of consecration to a great task was breathed into his fellow workers by the deceased president, and there will be a closing up of the ranks and a determination to carry forward the work in the spirit of the one who has entered into his rest."

A resolution of appreciation of services has been adopted and signed by representative workers at Ferris Road Methodist Church and places on record public recognition of the work of the late pastor, Rev. A. N. Miller.

The resolution read: "That we the members of the official board, the various organizations and the congregation of the Ferris Road Meth-

odist church do put on record our warm appreciation of the more than three years' service of our beloved now deceased pastor, Rev. A. N. Miller, and that we extend to the sorrowing family our sympathy and prayers in their time of affliction."

"We recognize in this death the loss of a good preacher sympathetic pastor, true friend, safe counsellor, competent leader, tireless worker and exemplary man in domestic, social and public life."

"His recent election to the presidency of the British Columbia annual conference testifies to the esteem in which he was held by his brother ministers."

VISITING PREACHERS AT THE CATHEDRAL

Distinguished Chaplain at Evening Service at Christ Church To-morrow

Capt. the Rev. J. H. T. Holman, M. A., recently returned from war service overseas, in the course of which he was wounded and received the Military Medal decoration and the Mons Star, will preach in Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday evening at 7.30.

Rev. J. H. T. Holman enlisted early in the war, leaving Canada as a stretcher-bearer sergeant with the 4th Field Ambulance, and served in France for over a year with the Red Cross. Later he was appointed a Church of England chaplain to the Canadian forces, in which capacity he acted for two years previous to returning to Canada.

Meets Fellow-Student Here.

At Ridley Hall, Cambridge, Mr. Holman was a fellow-student with the Ven. H. A. Collison, Archdeacon of Quatino, Vancouver Island, who is also visiting the city, and will preach at the eleven o'clock service in Christ Church Cathedral to-morrow morning. Archdeacon Collison is a son of the veteran missionary to the Indians in northern parts of British Columbia and author of the book, "In the Wake of the War Canoe." The Archdeacon will address members of the Cathedral Sunday School at ten o'clock on the subject of life work among the Indians.

On Visit Here—S. Sasaki, Secretary of the Department of Agriculture and Commerce, Tokio, is on a visit to Victoria in the course of a tour of inspection on behalf of his government of various places in the United States and Canada.

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Mr. Waugh was delegated to see the Chief of the Provincial Police and ask him to enforce the speeding laws to the limit. If this is not sufficient to check the practice of dangerous driving it was decided to approach the Department to swear in the road foremen as special constables and supply them with stop watches.

Another meeting will be held next Saturday, when officers of three new associations will be elected. The association will cover the entire district from Northfield to Esquimalt.



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ST. BARNABAS CHURCH, corner of Cook and Calcedonia, at 8 a. m. holy communion; 11 a. m. holy communion and sermon by Rev. W. A. A. Shipway, topic, "The Apostolic Church—Model for the Church of To-day." Choral evening, 7 p. m., sermon by Rev. J. W. P. Panton.

ST. MARY'S, Burns Street, Oak Bay. At 8 a. m. holy communion; 11 a. m. matins and sermon; 7 p. m. evening and sermon. The Rev. G. H. Andrews, M. A., rector.

ST. JOHN'S, Quadra Street, corner Mason. Rector, Rev. P. A. P. Chadwick, M. A. At 8 a. m. holy communion; 10 a. m. Sunday School and Bible Classes; 11 a. m. morning prayer; sermon by the Rector; 7.30 p. m. evening; preacher, the Rector. Visitors cordially welcome.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL—Holy communion, 8 and 10 a. m. Sunday School, 10 a. m.; add. 11 a. m. holy communion; matins and sermon, 11 a. m.; preacher, the Ven. Archdeacon H. A. Collison; and sermon, 7.30 p. m. preacher, Capt. the Rev. J. H. T. Holman, M. A.

PRESBYTERIAN.

GORGE, Tillicum and Walter, Sunday morning, 11 a. m. subject, "The Personality of the Holy Spirit." Sunday School, 9.45. Rev. Daniel Walker, pastor.

KNOX, 2925 Stanley Avenue. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., minister. Sabbath services, 11 a. m. subject, "Christ's Departure." 7.30 p. m. subject, "Expectations in regard to Christ's Second Coming." Rev. E. MacQueen will preach at both services. Sabbath School and Bible Class, 2.30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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Morning Subject, "CHRISTIANITY PRACTICAL." Evening, "OBEDIENCE TO VIMBURY." Preacher for the day, Rev. S. Eversen, of Edmonton, Alta. Sunday School and Adult Class, 10 a. m.

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11 a. m., "THE BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE." 2.30 p. m., Sunday School and Bible Class. 7.30 p. m., "THE JOYFUL MORNING AFTER THE NIGHT OF WEeping." Strangers are invited to worship.

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METHODIST.

HAMPSHIRE ROAD—Services, 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Pastor, W. E. Daley, B. A., LL.D. Morning, "The Master in the Midst." Evening service, 7.30.

EXCELSIOR BIBLE CLASS, Fairfield Methodist Church, 2.30 p. m. Sunday. Subject, Foreign Missions. "Truce was beaten with rods, once was I stoned, three I suffered shipwreck, a night and a day I have been in the deep."

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

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MINIMUM WAGE BOARD.

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant

to the provisions of the Minimum

Wage Act, a public meeting will be

held at the Court House, Georgia Street,

in the City of Vancouver, B. C., on

Thursday, the 21st day of August, 1919,

for the purpose of hearing any person

interested in the establishment of a

minimum wage and conditions of

employment in connection with the

operation of the telephone and telegraph

occupations, which includes the work of

female employees in connection with

the operation of the telephone and telegraph

occupations, and shall also include

the work of all female employees

employed in either of the said industries

who are not governed by any other

minimum wage order of the Board.

A notice of the meeting to be present is

extended to all those who desire to be

heard on the above question before a

minimum wage and conditions of

employment are determined.

MINIMUM WAGE BOARD FOR THE

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

J. D. McNICOLL, Chairman.

HELEN GREGORY MacGILL.

CHOMAS MATHESON, Secretary.

Victoria, B. C., August 14, 1919.

No. 6788.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of the Creditors Trust

Deeds Act,

and

In the Matter of William A. Smith and

Hannah Wall, Carrying on Business

Together in Partnership Under the

Name of the Windsor Grocery

Merchants, Insolvents.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the

said William A. Smith and Hannah

Wall, carrying on business as Grocers

under the name of the Windsor Grocery

Merchants, have made an assign-

ment under the Creditors Trust

Deeds Act of all their assets, credits and

effects, to me, Percy Wollaston, of No.

536 Herald Street, Victoria, B. C.,

Assignee for the general benefit of their

creditors.

A meeting of the creditors will be held

at the Office of William Brock

in the City of Victoria aforesaid on Monday,

the 18th day of August, A. D. 1919, at

the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon,

to receive a statement of affairs, and

for the giving of directions with refer-

ence to the disposal of the estate.

Creditors are requested to file their

claims with the Assignee, with proofs

and in the circumstances, to be called

in Act on or before the date of such meet-

ing.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that

after the said 18th day of August,

A. D. 1919, the Assignee will proceed to

distribute the assets of the estate

among the parties entitled thereto, hav-

ing regard only to the claims of which

notice shall then have been given and

that he will not be liable for the assets

or any part thereof so distributed to any

person or persons of whose claims he

shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 11th day

of August, A. D. 1919.

PERCY WOLLASTON,

Assignee.

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Victoria, B. C., August 4, 1919.

No. 6789.

ANOTHER FOOD RAID

ARE IN DETROIT

Federal Agents Seize 300,000

Pounds of Butter and

7,404,000 Eggs

Detroit, Aug. 16.—In the second raid

on food supplies stored in the De-

troit Refrigerating Company's plant

here, agents of the United States De-

partment of Justice to-day seized

2,404,000 eggs and approximately

300,000 pounds of butter.

At San Diego.

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CHINESE COOLIES EXPECTED TO RETURN BY THIS ROUTE

Eighty-Five Thousand Orientals May Be Cleared Through William Head Station en Route From Europe to China—Equipment Is Still Located Here

Persistent reports have been in circulation for some time past, presaging the early return to the Orient via this port of eighty-five thousand Chinese coolies from the European war theatre, who passed through the clearing station at William Head en route to France. These laborers were used behind the fighting lines in connection with the construction of light railways and salvage work, and since the conclusion of hostilities they have been used in reconstruction work. Large numbers of the coolies have been sent back to China by the Suez route in recent months, but it is unofficially predicted that the bulk of the Chinese labor force will be returned home by way of Canada and the trans-Pacific route.

Equipment at Station.

A large part of the equipment installed here for the purpose of taking care of the Chinese in transit is still at William Head, which would indicate that it is the intention of the British authorities to send the coolies back to China via this port.

The fleets of the Canadian Pacific Ocean Services, Ltd., the Blue Funnel Line and the Canadian Dollar Line, plying on the Pacific, were used to transport the great army of coolies. As yet these companies have received no notification that tonnage will be required for the transportation of the native laborers back to China.

NAMED IN HONOR OF VISITING EDITORS

Steamship Editor Launched at Seattle This Morning Before Cheering Delegates

Seattle, Aug. 16.—The steamer Editor named in honor of newspapermen and women of the United States and Canada, was launched here to-day in the presence of cheering scores of members of the National Editorial Convention from all parts of the country to attend the association's 1919 convention. Mrs.

AROUND THE SHIPYARDS

Trial Trip On Monday.
This afternoon the wooden steamship Ontario will be hauled out at Esquimalt, her newly-installed engines being turned over for the first time to-day. The Ontario will be floated again Sunday afternoon and return to Orford Point preparatory to leaving on her trials Monday morning.

She is the sixth ship of the Foundation contract to be completed for sea. All the ships have so far exceeded to contract speed and it is expected that highly satisfactory results will be obtained during the Ontario's trials.

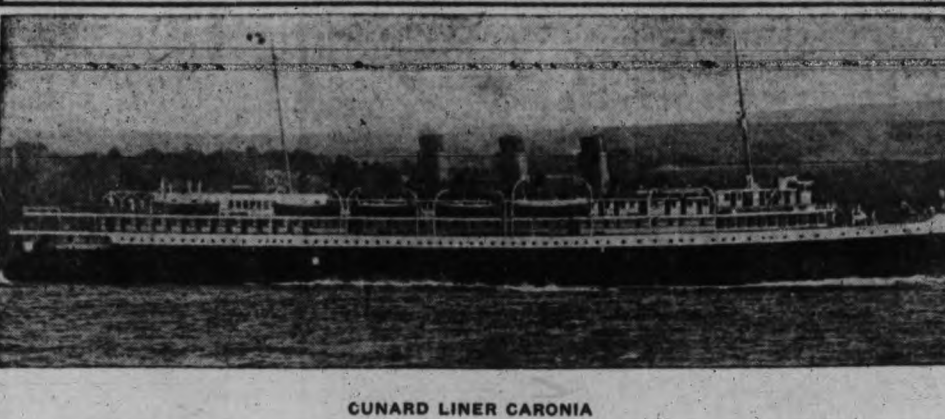
Quebec Strike Settled.
The strike at the Davis shipyards at Lauzon, Que., has been declared off following an amicable settlement between the employers and employees. The company offered terms which were acceptable to the employees and the plant, which has been idle for some time, is again in operation.

May Build Diesel Engines.
The firm of Hutchison Bros. & Co., Ltd., plan to extend its plant for the manufacture of Diesel engines. At the present time the firm is building five sets of engine units for the Foundation Company. The second unit has been delivered.

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CUNARD LINER CARONIA

MARGARET WILL BE DISPATCH BOAT IN BRITISH NAVY

Crack 5,000-Tonner Built on Clyde For C. P. R. Will Not Come Out to Coast

Victoria will not get the crack steamship Princess Margaret after all. The Princess Margaret, which, together with the ill-fated Princess Irene, was built at the Denny yards at Dumbarton for the C. P. R., has been acquired, it has been learned, by the British Admiralty to be utilized as a messenger ship with the Atlantic squadron. At the beginning of the war these fine vessels were commandeered before they had been turned over by the Dumbarton yards. Shortly after being put into commission in the auxiliary service of the navy the Princess Irene, while in the Thames laden with munitions, was completely destroyed by an internal explosion.

Fast Mine-Layer.
The Princess Margaret was put into service as a mine-layer and by her valuable work earned the signal reputation of being the best mine-layer attached to the British navy. The vessel developed a speed of twenty-five knots. She would ship out of the Thames in the morning, drop her cargo of mines in the Bight of Heligoland and return to her base by nightfall.

It is to be attached to the Atlantic squadron clear up the uncertainty regarding the post-war disposition of the speedy vessel.

This possibility has been eliminated with the permanent transfer to the British navy.

MAJOR OF 102ND RECIPIENT OF D. S. O.

Bravery of Five Other Canadian Officers Is Given Recognition

London, Aug. 16.—The War Office has issued particulars of the deeds for which the under-mentioned Canadian officers were awarded the D. S. O.:

Battalion. Between Dury and the Canal du Nord he led his battalion from the assembly point to the jumping off place under a continuous barrage of shell and machine gun fire, and when on arrival it was found that the battalions through which this unit was to pass had been held up, he withdrew his men into immediate support, and afterward carried out the relief in pitch darkness over an unknown area, going forward and personally directing the operation.

Major Edwin G. Baker, 47th Battalion.—During the operations of September 27-28, 1918, commanded his battalion in heavy fighting on two successive days and by his personal example and splendid leadership inspired the officers and men of his command.

Fort Garry Officer.
Lieut. James Dunwoody, Fort Garry Horse, on October 9, 1918, was sent with his troop to ride down enemy machine guns on the right flank. He rode with his troop over 2,000 yards, constantly under machine gun fire, and while a number of his troops became casualties, he succeeded in driving the enemy from the guns, of which about fifteen were captured.

Major A. E. Elliot, Fifth Field Ambulance.—At Neuville Vitasse, Wancourt and Chertel from August 26 to August 29, 1918, as the infantry advanced he followed up closely, and although many times he was forced to pass through heavy enemy barrages, he kept in close touch with the battalions and kept establishing collecting posts as far forward as possible. He was the direct means of saving many lives.

Former Minister Here.—L. A. Campbell, of Rossland, general manager of the West Kootenay Light and Power Company, former Minister of Mines, is on a visit to the city.

OVER FOUR HUNDRED EXCURSIONISTS LEFT TO-DAY FOR SEATTLE

Carrying 428 Masonic excursionists the C. P. R. steamship Princess Adelaide got away from the Belleville Street wharves at 9 o'clock this morning for Seattle. The vessel was chartered by the Masonic Club.

The excursionists will return on the regular boats at intervals between now and the latter part of the month. The Princess Adelaide will head back, and leave here at 11.45 o'clock to-night for Vancouver.

TWO LINERS WILL ARRIVE TO-MORROW

Japanese Steamships Katori Maru and Manila Maru to Berth on Sunday

With the arrival of the Japanese liners Katori Maru and Manila Maru from the Orient there will be considerable activity to-morrow at the Outer Docks. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Katori Maru will arrive at 10 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Manila Maru will also come alongside during the day.

It is not known which of the ships will first succeed in getting pratique at quarantine as no time was given in the radiograms picked up from seaward.

The Katori Maru has aboard 127 saloon and 113 steerage passengers and her local cargo amounts to 1,072 tons. The Manila Maru has 324 tons of freight for this port. Twenty passengers will disembark here while 122 are bound to points in the United States via Seattle.

CAPT. STAN YOUNG JOINS Y. M. STAFF

Appointed Membership and Social Secretary; Big Plans for Revival of Interest

Capt. Stanley Young, who was connected with Y. M. C. A. work in France for three years, has been appointed membership and social secretary of the local Y. M. C. A., and will commence his duties on Monday.

Capt. Young is well-known in this city, having resided here most of his life. Before going overseas he was connected with the local association, and was always prominent in its social and sporting life.

Owing to an injury sustained in his younger days Capt. Young could not enlist as a fighting man so he induced Lieut.-Col. Lorne Ross to take him across as a sergeant in the 47th Battalion, while with the battalion he acted as a Y. M. C. A. man, and saw to it that the fighting men were well provided with supplies. If supplies were obtainable.

In December, 1917, Sergt. Young was sent to England to take out a commission in the Y. M. C. A., and shortly afterwards was back in France attached to the Fourth Division. He remained with that unit until it was broken up in England for demobilization, during which time he was awarded his third star.

Capt. Young is expected to live on the local association. He will shortly inaugurate a campaign for members and hopes to make the returned men the backbone of the association. He also plans an active program of social work, which will make the Y. M. C. A. a centre for many prominent functions during the coming winter.

WHITE STAR SHIPS.
The liner Canopic, of the White Star fleet, plying in the Mediterranean service, left Gibraltar August 5 for New York.

The steamship Canopic, of the White Star-Dominion Line, sailed from Montreal August 13 for Liverpool.

REGULATIONS ARE NOW MODIFIED

British From Canada May Pass States Ports Without Having Passports Vised

British subjects from Canada passing through United States ports do not now require to have passports vised by the British Consul or military control officer, but the American port of embarkation, according to A. E. Disney, North Pacific Coast passenger agent of the International Mercantile Marine Lines, passengers from Canada who are not British subjects must, however, obtain the vise of the British military control officer if they are going to Great Britain or through Great Britain to their destination, and must present themselves twenty-four hours in advance of sailing.

All passengers from Canada sailing from a United States port must present themselves at the United States custom house at the port of departure to secure an income tax exemption certificate. This does not necessarily mean that all passengers are required to pay income tax, but the American officials are under instructions to secure an income tax exemption certificate. It is expected that this modification in the passport regulations will have the effect of encouraging travel across the Atlantic.

ARABIA MARU IN TOUCH BUT FAILED TO GIVE POSITION

Estevan to-day picked up the inbound O.R.K. liner Arabia Maru, which failed to give her position. Other vessels in touch with the stations to-day were the Katori Maru and the Manila Maru, due Sunday afternoon.

The Japanese freighter Azumasan Maru reports she will arrive at Port Townsend Sunday afternoon.

The Proteus has yet to be heard from.

AERONAUTICAL DEPT. IS CLOSING DOWN, TUGS BEING RELEASED

Vancouver, Aug. 16.—The Aeronautical Department of the Imperial Munitions Board is gradually closing down and will have everything cleared up in the near future. The fleet of tugboats and launches which were purchased and chartered during the rush of the airplane spruce production campaign has been practically disposed of. The tugboats Massey and Moreby were purchased by James Whalen and associates and are now busy in commercial life. The tugboats Point Grey and Point Ellice, taken over from the Government by the aeromedical department will be turned back in the immediate future. The gas-boat Chek-awanna has been purchased by the R. N. W. M. F. for coast patrol, and the American ship was obtained by Colonel John McMillan for use in his business undertakings up the coast.

FOUR FRENCH SHIPS AT SEA WITH LUMBER

Vancouver, Aug. 15.—It is announced to-day that four of the French wooden steamers are at sea, carrying lumber from British Columbia ports. They are the C-32, C-31, C-45 and Champlain. The "C" ships are carrying an aggregate of 1,650,000 feet, while the Champlain has 1,500,000 feet.

C-45 sailed on Wednesday from Nanaimo. It is expected that the fleet at sea will be augmented by the C-44 to-day.

The 3,000-ton ship Hudson will be up early this week to load lumber at the Hastings Mill and Government wharves. Another vessel of this type, the steamship Erie, is loading at Genoa Bay. Other of the French ships built in British Columbia yards will begin loading next week.

NEW FREIGHT LINES FROM ENGLAND ARE BEING CONTEMPLATED

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Lieut.-Commander A. Gordon Home After Four Years and Ten Months' Service

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After four years and ten months service with the Royal Navy, during which time he saw service at Archangel, in the Mediterranean, at the Dardanelles, the Persian Gulf, off the Somaliland coast, took part in an unsuccessful search for the German raider Wolfe and two weeks after armistice participated in a landing party at Hodeida, Arabia, to subdue a band of Turks who did not wish to cease hostilities. Lieut.-Commander A. Gordon, R.N., returned to Victoria on Thursday afternoon.

When the war broke out Commander Gordon was relieving chief engineer of the B. C. Coast Steamship Service. A native of Greenock, Scotland, he immediately planned to assist his country, and on October 14

accompanying by W. J. Coulthard, another engineer of the fleet, who now holds the rank of Lieut.-Engineer in the Royal Navy, he sailed for England. They proceeded to London and interviewed the Admiralty officials at Whitehall, and were examined. The two passed with flying colors and Commander Gordon was given the rank of lieutenant and assigned to the old battleship Jupiter.

Used as Ice-Breaker.
Owing to the heavy ice jam in the White Sea the transports, which were carrying ammunition, material and supplies to Archangel for the Russian army, were unable to get to their port of discharge. The Russian ice-breakers had all broken down and the sea was blocked with ice. In order that the transports might make their way to the port, the Jupiter was assigned to the work and sailed from England on December 15.

On arriving in the White Sea a large fleet of transports was waiting to get their cargo. The Jupiter was carrying through and immediately the Jupiter commenced poking her nose into the great sea of ice and soon had freed the port of Archangel. All winter the old battleship continued her duties as an ice-breaker and returned to England in May of the following year.

While engaged in the White Sea Commander Gordon accomplished a conspicuous piece of work for which he was awarded the Russian Order of St. Anne by the ex-Czar. The Jupiter came across a Russian transport caught in the ice. In order to learn what was wrong with the ship Commander Gordon walked across the ice, a very perilous task, and boarded the Russian ship. He found that her machinery had been disabled. He made a hasty examination and returned to his ship to secure necessary parts to effect temporary repairs and also to get a party to assist him in the work. Once again he made the trip across the ice and repaired the broken machinery. The Russian, which had been in great danger of being pinched by the ice-floes, proceeded on her way and Commander Gordon returned to his ship.

On a Sub-Chaser.
On his return to England Commander Gordon was detailed to superintend the construction of one of England's "mystery" ships of 1915. For four months he watched H. M. S. Mallow, a submarine chaser and the first of her class, being built and when she was turned over to the Admiralty took charge of the engine room. The Mallow was sent to hunt divers, which at that time had been turned loose on merchantmen by von Tirpitz. The Mallow caught a sub off Queenstown and dropped depth charges. A large quantity of oil came to the surface and the crew felt confident that they had put an end to one sub's career.

For five months Commander Gordon sailed in the Mallow and while cruising in the Mediterranean destroyed signals were picked up from the liner Persia, which had been torpedoed on December 30. The Mallow made all speed to her assistance and the following day fell in with the lifeboats which had been successfully launched. Four boats had been picked up and another was known to be drifting so the Mallow continued the search. Just before midnight of the last day of the year the long lost boat was recovered. The Mallow, which was not a large ship, had 250 passengers on board and her decks were crowded to their capacity. Full speed for Alexandria was ordered.

The passengers presented the commanding officer and Commander Gordon each with a silver cigarette case as tokens of thanks for services rendered.

Off to Dardanelles.
At Alexandria Commander Gordon was ordered to join H. M. S. Edgar and immediately proceeded to the Dardanelles, where the ship assisted in the general bombardment of Helles Point. This work was carried on until the evacuation of the peninsula in February, 1915. The Edgar was made the parent ship of the patrol squadrons, which numbered 80 light craft. For a short time Commander Gordon was in the Bulgarian coast.

Late in 1917 the commander left the Edgar to join H. M. S. Juno, a light cruiser, as lieutenant-commander, and was ordered to the Persian Gulf. The Juno was employed on escort duties. Picking up the transports off Aden she accompanied them to the Persian Gulf. On this duty Commander Gordon was in the Persian Gulf when the German raider Wolfe was active off the Maldiva Islands, having sunk a Japanese vessel near there. The Juno was dispatched to catch her, but was unsuccessful.

Returning from the search the Juno was commissioned to patrol the Somaliland and Arabian coasts, which work she was carrying on when armistice was signed. Two weeks after hostilities had ceased on all European fronts, it was learned that the Turks around Hodeida, on the Red Sea, refused to quit. They enjoyed the war and were prepared to carry on. Several other landing parties, ashore and persuade the Turks that peace had its advantages, and the machine guns of the warships and the machine guns and rifles of the landing parties had a disquieting effect and the Turks listened to the overtures.

Returning to Chatham Commander Gordon was paid off and finally secured his discharge and started back for Victoria.

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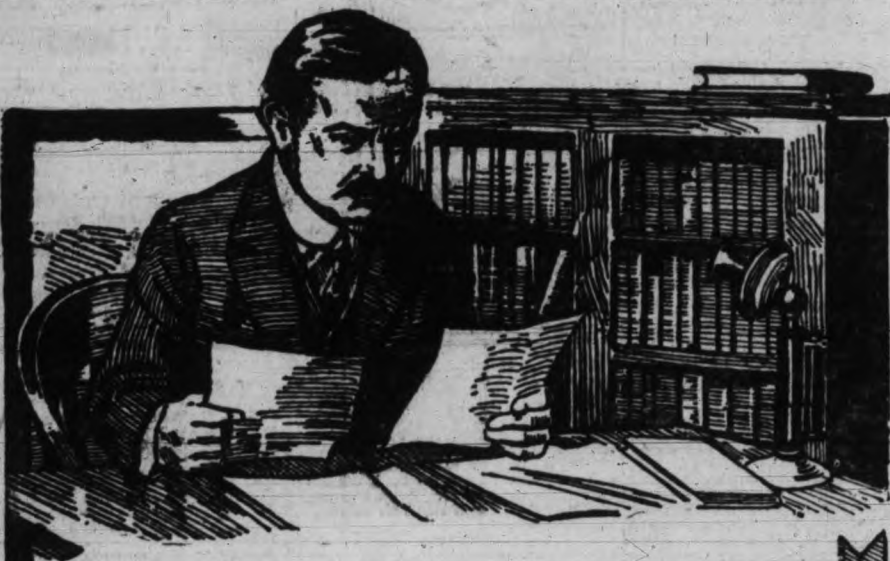
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Orpheum vaudeville returned to Victoria last evening with the Royal Victoria as its house, and an audience that would have been larger if the theatre had more seats to offer for sale. Apparently the only regrets of the evening were experienced by those whose last-minute rush brought them the disappointment of failure to see the opening performance of the 1919-1920 season. The success of the event was a further indication added to others observed of late that the lifting of the war cloud has ushered in brighter days for things theatrical in this city.

Worthy of note are the improvements in the theatre itself, carried out to enhance the setting of the vaudeville which has now made Victoria one of its numerous homes in this country and the neighboring republic. The tattered gold-leaf and wickered stucco waiting which so long transformed patrons of the house into apologists when in the presence of out-of-town visitors are no more in evidence to grieve the eye. Those elements of ill-advised haste in construction have vanished under the brushes of renovating decorators and a new color scheme has been worked out which makes the interior more restfully pleasing than it was in the first place. The proscenium arch has been done in olive tint with a suggestion of purple, which harmonizes admirably with the dull gold finish of the ornate portions of the arch and the lighter shade of the upper portion immediately above the stage. The more pronounced note of the gold-leaf is missing, but the change is one that commends the judgment of the management, as the result is an effect of quiet, refined taste.

Then, too, there has been a change in the lighting. As the house was constructed, there were no lights directly visible, the system being of the indirect lighting style. This has given way to shaded lights suspended from the panels of the ceiling and in the inverted bowl-shaped openings in the pit ceiling or under side of the balcony. There is now a much clearer lighting of the house, which renders it an easier task for the patrons to read their programmes.

In the matter of seating, the Royal Victoria, with its unusually roomy accommodations, is not surpassed by any house on the coast, and the improvements mentioned above will add further to the satisfaction of its patrons.

The Bill.
The bill offered last night had as its head-line feature Beatrix Clayton and her company. Miss Clayton proved herself an extremely agile danseuse of originality and marked variety, and Eliza and Eduardo Casiano, Spanish dancers, and the others of the company ably supplemented her offerings. An English character comedian is

Tommy Hayden, whose quips, songs and dances are done to accompaniments played by his partner, Miss Carmen Howell, a violinist who is mistress of a sweetly mellow tone. Other music of the bill is provided by Lambert, a xylophonist. Dextrous in the extreme, he plays several pieces in full harmony of four, using two hammers in each hand.

Madame Burnell is billed as a "Scientific Enigma" and certainly her act was a mystery to the audience. As far as observation vouchsafed, she allowed an electric current of sufficient power to operate an honest sized arc lamp to pass through her body, holding one of the carbons in her teeth.

The two Vivians, who opened the bill, are most expert rifle shots, and Blanche and Jimmy Creighton are diversely odd persons in "Mudtown Vaudeville." They are followed by Sutter and Dell, finished trick cyclists, whose humor is always uppermost. The picture which concludes the programme is "Love and a Gold Brick," a comedy.

The bill, which will be repeated this evening, is of a standard which undoubtedly will prove most entertaining to Victorians during the 1919-1920 theatrical season.



AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal Victoria—Orpheum Vaudeville.
Princess—R. N. Hincks and Company present "The Private Secretary."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Dominion—Hedda Nova and Owen Moore in "The Crimson Gardenia."
Variety—Beatrice Michelena in "The Unwritten Law."
Columbia—Viola Dana in "Columbia Junior" and serial, "The Love of the Circus."
Romano—Bert Lytell in "Blind Man's Eyes" and serial, "The Hand of Vengeance."

DOMINION

The title of Rex Beach's newest photoplay is vibrantly dramatic. It is "The Crimson Gardenia," a picture of his widely read novel of the same name which is now at the Dominion theatre in which the flower plays a striking part.

How this is accomplished is explained when it is known that one character wears a gardenia as a mark of identification in the Marcellus, and another chooses the same device by accident. The denouement of the drama hinges upon the presence of the single flower.

Worn by a fugitive from justice who plans to meet his cousin, whom he has never seen, in the whirl of the carnival, the gardenia is to single him out. This task was protect him. The other man a stranger in New Orleans, decides to mingle with the revelers for excitement. His choice of a gardenia is caused by accident. An aged woman, selling her last flower, begs him to buy it that she may take her tired bones home to rest. He allows her to pin it on his breast.

From this point the men are scarcely distinguishable, a circumstance that brings about a series of extraordinarily thrilling moments. The fate of one of the wearers is inevitable, for it is known that his life is sought by a desperate band of criminals. On which man they will wreak vengeance—this is the question. At the moment when one of the maskers is stable, comes the full significance of the title. Once immaculate white, the gardenia crisscrosses with the blood of the victim. But Rex Beach did not select the flower at random. A gardenia became the pivot of his amazing story for several reasons. Because the action transpires in New Orleans it became necessary to select a blossom typical of the place. No rose would do nor any colored flower, else its change to crimson could not have been accomplished. And roses, of course, are indigenous to any part of the country.

It had to be a gardenia, as Rex Beach explained to Reginald Barker, who directed the picture at the Goldwyn studios, because the flower is significant. It is a flower of romance. Its heavy perfume is redolent of love and intrigue and passion. Its ivory whiteness is impaired by a touch. By all odds the gardenia was the flower to suggest the elements in "The Crimson Gardenia" and the author has handled them compellingly.

COLUMBIA

One of the most realistic settings in the Metro play, "Satan Junior," starring Viola Dana, is the studio of a young playwright, Paul Worden, played by Milton Sills. This room was designed especially for the production by M. P. Staulcup, the noted art director, and is patterned after his own studio.

It contains many rare objects of art, conspicuous among which is a carved ebony pulpit originally belonging to a Spanish monastery. Many Chinese lanterns of exquisite beauty are seen which, when lighted, produce a soft, mellow glow that greatly adds to the beauty of the picture. Heavy hangings in broad velvet and satins give a tone of richness and luxury to the artistic scene. "Satan Junior" will be shown at the Columbia for the last time to-day.

ROMANO

A special train was chartered by Metro for a series of scenes in "Blind Man's Eyes," a story of gripping realism, which will be featured at the Romano for the last time to-day, and which shows Bert Lytell in a role of unusual power.

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PANTAGES

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ing ingenues, while Mrs. Tayler gave an interesting study of the landlady of young Cattermole. Miss Anthony played the part of Jane, the servant.

Altogether the comedy which has yet been presented at the Princess Theatre and if the enthusiasm of its first-night audience be any criterion of its success, it should have crowded houses through the whole of its all-too-short run.